

PROCEEDINGS
OF
THE GRAND LODGE
OF
Ancient, Free And Accepted Masons
OF
NORTH CAROLINA



1967



ALFRED ALBRECHT KAFER, JR.
Grand Master, 1967-68

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In the Capital City of Raleigh, North Carolina on April 19, 1967, at the 180th Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of North Carolina, Alfred Albrecht Kafer, Jr., in an impressive public ceremony, was installed as the 114th Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina. Year after year he had served faithfully in the various places and stations on his way up the Grand Lodge ladder, having been appointed to the Grand Lodge line several years before by Grand Master Harvey Ward Smith.

The new Grand Master is a native of that delightful area in southeastern North Carolina where the Neuse and Trent Rivers unite to create one of the most beautiful spots in the State. This celebrated area, known as New Bern, has for almost 200 years been a center of Masonic activity, and our Grand Master was privileged to grow up in such a conducive atmosphere as this. He was born on September 2, 1906, the son of Sadie Kinsey and Alfred A. Kafer. He received his elementary and high school education in New Bern, graduating from New Bern High School in 1924. During his high school career, he was an outstanding participant in sports, particularly in football.

Our Grand Master's forebears had been for many years successful operators of a bakery, and thus the subject of our sketch decided to continue the family tradition. In order that he might be better qualified to handle this type of operation, he attended the Fleishmann Baking School. He returned to New Bern and continued the operation of Kafer's Bakery from 1927 until August, 1949.

On August 30, 1931, he married Miss Margaret Marea Penny in Kenansville, North Carolina. This union has been blessed with two delightful daughters, one of whom, Marea, married Lt. Col. Robert A. Foster and now lives in Torrence, California, where her husband continues a successful military career. This delightful couple has been responsible for making our Grand Master the very proud grandfather of two very fine grandchildren. The other daughter, Jo Kinsey, has been a successful school teacher in New York State and now for two years has been the director of a United States Service Club in Baumholder, Germany.

Brother Kafer has lived a very versatile life, because his activities embrace many areas of public concern. For example, he has been a very active and enthusiastic member of the Atlantic Fire Department of New Bern since June, 1927. This is a volunteer fire department, and our Grand Master has an excellent record of prompt and continued attendance at fires. Because of his interest in this department, he was twice elected to serve as Chief, the first time in 1932 and the second in 1944. He has been Treasurer of this fire department for more than 28 years.

He has been a lifelong member of Christ Episcopal Church in New Bern and is very faithful in his attendance upon the functions of this interesting, historical church.

The Grand Master has likewise manifested an interest in the political life of New Bern and Craven County. He was Alderman of the City of New Bern from 1945 to 1957, and for many years now has been Chairman of the Craven County Board of Elections.

Brother Kafer likewise continued his interest in athletics, and for many years was in great demand as a referee for football games. He also served as coach of football at the New Bern High School in 1942, 1944, and also in 1945, and was coach of the baseball team during one of those years. He also maintains an active interest in youth work throughout the community, and is especially fond of the Boy Scouts. He has served as Merit Badge examiner for the Boy Scouts since 1943, and in this capacity has enjoyed innumerable contacts with the boys as they sought to become proficient in Scouting.

His Masonic career began on July 10, 1935, when he was raised to the Sublime Degree of Master Mason in St. John's Lodge No. 3, one of the oldest and most distinguished lodges in North Carolina. He became active immediately, and on December 27, 1935, he was appointed as Senior Deacon, rising continuously through the chairs until he became Master in 1939. He was not content with sitting on the sidelines of his lodge, however, after his term as Master, because in 1941 he was elected as Secretary of his lodge, and he has enjoyed a distinguished career in this position, serving continuously until 1966 when he felt that his duties and responsibilities as Deputy Grand Master and subsequently as Grand Master would require that he relinquish this responsibility in which he had served faithfully for so long.

He became a member of the Scottish Rite in the Fall Reunion of 1936, and he immediately found many challenging activities to occupy his interests and time. His faithful service to the Scottish Rite was recognized in 1943 when he was invested with the Rank and Decoration of Knight Commander of the Court of Honour. He thereafter maintained an even greater interest in Masonry, and in 1951 he was Coronated with the Rank and Decoration of the Thirty-Third Degree, or Sovereign Grand Inspector General Honorary. In his Scottish Rite activities he served as Assistant Stage Director from 1937 to 1945, and then became Director in 1945 and continues to serve in this capacity at the present time. He has also been a Trustee for many years. Scottish Rite Masons in the Valley of New Bern are proud of the skill and the direction which our Grand Master has given to his responsibilities as a Scottish Rite Mason.

The Grand Master then crossed the Hot Sands of the Desert of Sudan Temple in the spring of 1937, and immediately became an active and enthusiastic participant in the various affairs of the Shrine. He was the organizer and the first director of the Chef Crew, an organization created to prepare and serve the meals for the various Shrine Ceremonials. He continued as director from 1958 through July, 1966. He likewise served as Stage Director of Sudan Temple from 1953 through 1965.

Our Grand Master is also a member of the York Rite, having united with this organization in 1966 in New Bern, North Carolina, where he is a member of New Bern Chapter No. 46, Royal Arch Masons, New Bern Council No. 12, Royal and Select Masters and St. John's Commandery No. 10, Knights Templar.

From the moment of our Grand Master's appointment as Grand Steward to the Grand Lodge line by Most Worshipful Brother Harvey W. Smith, he has enjoyed the very rare and helpful privilege of attending and participating in many of the various committee and board

meetings of the Grand Lodge. His experience in these committees and boards have made him fully aware of the many intricate details of Grand Lodge activities, and it is safe to say that these rich experiences no doubt will be the means of enabling our Grand Master to preside with an abundant degree of proficiency over the affairs of the Grand Lodge. In fact, there is hardly a committee or a board serving the Masons of North Carolina in which our Grand Master has not had a considerable degree of experience. No doubt these rare opportunities will unite in affording him the most enjoyable, profitable, and helpful year he could ever hope to experience, and Masonry in North Carolina will be the beneficiary.

PAST GRAND MASTERS

A List Of The Past Grand Masters Of The Grand Lodge Of North Carolina
From 1787 to 1866, Inclusive, And Dates When Elected

*Samuel Johnston.....1787	*Samuel M. Gattis.....1908, '09
*Richard Caswell.....1788	*Richard N. Hackett.....1910, '11
*Samuel Johnston.....1789, '90, '91	*W. B. McKoy.....1912
*Wm. R. Davie, 1792, '93, '94, '95, '96, '97, '98	*F. M. Winchester.....1913
*William Polk.....1799, 1800, '01	*John T. Alderman.....1914
*John L. Taylor.....1802, '03, '04	*F. P. Hobgood, Jr.....1915
*John Hall.....1805, '06, '07	*A. B. Andrews, Jr.....1916
*Benjamin Smith.....1808, '09, '10	*Claude L. Pridgen.....1917
*Robert Williams.....1811, '12, '13	*George S. Norfleet.....1918
*John L. Taylor.....1814, '15, '16	*Henry A. Grady.....1919
*Calvin Jones.....1817, '18, '19	*James C. Braswell.....1920
*John A. Cameron.....1820, '21	*J. Bailey Owen.....1921
*James Strudwick Smith.....1822	*James H. Webb.....1922
*Robert Strange.....1823, '24	*Hubert McN. Poteat.....1923
*H. G. Burton.....1825, '26	*James LeG. Everett.....1924
*L. D. Wilson.....1827, '28, '29	*Leon Cash.....1925
*R. D. Spaight, Jr.....1830, '31	*John E. Cameron.....1926
*S. J. Baker.....1832	*John H. Anderson.....1927
*S. F. Patterson.....1833, '34	*Raymond C. Dunn.....1928
*L. H. Marsteller.....1835, '36	*John J. Phoenix.....1929
*D. W. Stone.....1837, '38, '39	*E. W. Timberlake, Jr.....1930
*S. J. Baker.....1840	*J. W. Winborne.....1931
*D. L. Crenshaw.....1841	*H. C. Alexander.....1932
*J. H. Wheeler.....1842, '43	†P. T. Wilson.....1933
*P. W. Fanning.....1844, '45, '46	*R. F. Ebbs.....1934
*W. F. Collins.....1847, '48, '49	*Charles B. Newcomb.....1935
*A. T. Jerkins.....1850, '51, '52	J. Giles Hudson.....1936
*Clement H. Jordan.....1853, '54	Watson N. Sherrod.....1937
*P. A. Holt.....1855, '56	*Harry T. Patterson.....1938
*Alfred Martin.....1857, '58	†J. Edward Allen.....1939
*Lewis S. Williams.....1859, '60	Thomas J. Harkins.....1940
*W. G. Hill.....1861	Charles P. Eldridge.....1941
*E. F. Watson.....1862, '63	James E. Shipman.....1942
*John McCormick.....1864	*James W. Payne.....1943
*E. G. Reade.....1865, '66	*Julius C. Hobbs.....1944
*R. W. Best.....1867	*Clyde H. Jarrett.....1945
*Robert B. Vance.....1868, '69	William J. Bundy.....1946
*Charles C. Clark.....1870, '71	*Luther T. Hartsell, Jr.....1947
*John Nichols.....1872, '73	Maxwell E. Hoffman.....1948
*George W. Blount.....1874, '75	*Wilkins P. Horton.....1949
*Horace H. Munson.....1876, '77	*Wallace E. Caldwell.....1950
*William R. Cox.....1878, '79	*Herbert M. Foy.....1951
*Henry F. Grainger.....1880, '81	William H. White.....1952
*Robert Bingham.....1882, '83, '84	Edwin T. Howard.....1953
*Fabius H. Busbee.....1885, '86	Robert L. Pugh.....1954
*C. H. Robinson.....1887, '88	Charles H. Pugh.....1955
*Samuel H. Smith.....1889, '90	*John C. Vance.....1956
*Hezekiah A. Gudger.....1891, '92	Charles A. Harris.....1957
*John W. Cotten.....1893, '94	James G. Johnston.....1958
*Francis M. Moye.....1895, '96	W. Eli Hand.....1959
*Walter E. Moore.....1897, '98	Harvey W. Smith.....1960
*Richard J. Noble.....1899	James W. Brewer.....1961
*B. S. Royster.....1900, '01	Charles C. Ricker.....1962
*H. I. Clark.....1902, '03	W. Edward Burrier.....1963
*W. S. Liddell.....1904, '05	G. Dudley Humphrey.....1964
*Francis D. Winston.....1906, '07	Sam A. Hennis, Jr.....1965
	Arnold J. Koonce, Sr.....1966

* Deceased.

† Nonaffiliated.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE

OFFICERS OF THE GRAND LODGE OF A. F. & A. M.
OF NORTH CAROLINA

To the Annual Communication of 1968

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R. W. Robert N. Bass, Jr.† (97)	Deputy Grand Master
P. O. Box 9244, Raleigh 27603	Phones: (Res.) 833-4761 (Bus.) 828-2341
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R. W. Maurice E. Walsh† (407)	Junior Grand Warden
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P. O. Box 411, Greenville 27834	Phones: (Res.) 752-4433 (Bus.) 752-6186
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P. O. Box 6506, Raleigh 27608	Phones: (Res.) 833-0674 (Bus.) 787-2021

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W. William L. Mills, Jr.† (32)	Grand Steward
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W. Emery B. Denny† (668)	Grand Historian
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W. B. Everett Jordan (492)	Grand Orator
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M. W. J. Giles Hudson* (576)	Judge Advocate
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† Past Master

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- Harvey W. Smith* (109)-----P. O. Box 38, Beaufort 28516
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- James W. Brewer* (708)-----P. O. Box 411, Greenville 27834
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- Charles C. Ricker* (118)--Mas. Temple, 80 Broadway, Asheville 28801
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- W. Edward Burrier* (31)-----P. O. Box 1228, Charlotte 28201
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- G. Dudley Humphrey* (1)-----Box 1318, Wilmington 28401
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- Sam A. Hennis, Jr.* (322)-----Drawer 711, Mount Airy 27030
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- Arnold J. Koonce, Sr.* (716)-----P. O. Box 1267, High Point 27261
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* Past Grand Master

PROCEEDINGS OF THE

BOARD OF GENERAL PURPOSES

M. W. Alfred A. Kafer, Jr.†, (3)	<i>Gr. Master, Chm.</i>	-----	New Bern
R. W. Robert N. Bass, Jr.†, (97)	<i>Dep. Gr. Master</i>	-----	Raleigh
R. W. William A. Hooks†, C.L. (84)	<i>Sr. Gr. Warden</i>	-----	Smithfield
R. W. Maurice E. Walsh† (407)	<i>Jr. Gr. Warden</i>	-----	North Wilkesboro
M. W. James W. Brewer* (708)	<i>Grand Treasurer</i>	-----	Greenville
M. W. Charles A. Harris* (113)	<i>Gr. Secretary, Secretary</i>	-----	Raleigh
1968—M. W. Robert L. Pugh* (568)	-----	-----	New Bern
1968—M. W. Watson N. Sherrod* (447)	-----	-----	Enfield
1969—M. W. Charles H. Pugh* (369)	-----	-----	Gastonia
1969—M. W. Edwin T. Howard* (344)	-----	-----	High Point
1970—M. W. William J. Bundy* (284)	-----	-----	Greenville
1970—M. W. W. Edward Burrier* (31)	-----	-----	Charlotte



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	<i>Ex-Officio Chm.</i>		
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W. Charles T. Potter, C.L. (3)	<i>Grand Lecturer</i>	-----	New Bern
1968—W. J. Earl Watson†, C.L., (691)	-----	-----	Mount Airy
1968—W. W. Herman Hardee†, C.L., (284)	-----	-----	Greenville
1969—M. W. Charles C. Ricker* (118)	-----	-----	Asheville
1969—W. William K. Price†, C.L., (261)	<i>Chm.</i>	-----	Greensboro
1970—W. William L. Adams†, C.L. (3)	-----	-----	New Bern
1970—W. Reynold S. Davenport†, C.L. (680)	-----	-----	Jacksonville

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M. W. Charles A. Harris* (113)	<i>Grand Secretary</i>	-----	Raleigh
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Herbert B. Ruffin, (40)	-----	-----	Raleigh

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1969, Henry L. Bridges (76), *President*; 1972, Charles A. Harris* (113), *Grand Secretary, Secretary-Treasurer*; 1968, Sam A. Hennis, Jr.* (322); 1970, Harvey W. Smith* (109); 1971, Alfred A. Kafer, Jr.† (3), *Grand Master*.

† Past Master

* Past Grand Master

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Superintendent: Rev. Troy G. Robbins (694), Greensboro, N. C.
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M. W. Robert L. Pugh* (568)-----New Bern

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1968, William T. Hatch† (97), *Chairman*, 327 Hillsboro Street, Raleigh, N. C.; 1969, William J. Bundy* (284); 1970, Watson N. Sherrod* (447); 1971, Edwin T. Howard* (344); 1972, Hiram J. Casebolt† (500).

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† Past Master

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE

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1	Lindy P. Harrell†	(126) Eure
2	J. Hilton Forbest†	(90) Williamston, 208 Park Drive
3	Willett R. Tillett†	(521) Manteo, Box 473
4	Blake C. Lewis†	(4) Washington, Box 801
5	Leslie H. Garner†	(708) Greenville, Box 440
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7	Robert W. Day†	(359) Merritt, Box 230
8	John R. Nichols†	(83) Jacksonville, 429 New River Drive
9	James F. Bunce†	(13) Kenansville, Box 156
10	William B. Belloist†	(1) Wilmington, Box 1024
11	Earl D. Edmunds†	(607) Chadbourn, Box 341
12	Archib B. Stalvey†, C.L.	(114) Lumberton, P. O. Box 904
13	Thomas B. Brown†	(731) Fayetteville, 505 Huske Street
14	G. Albert Otter, Jr.†	(585) Roseboro, Box 35
15	Zeb B. Hill, Jr.†	(84) Smithfield, Box 909
16	William D. Edwards†	(112) Goldsboro, 1213 East Holly Street
17	Allen W. Harrell†	(712) Wilson, 310 First Union Natl. Bank Bldg.
18	Silas D. Fuller†	(230) Rocky Mount, Box 603
19	Cecil J. Livermant†	(17) Murfreesboro, 315 West High Street
20	Chester A. Elks†	(689) Scotland Neck, P.O. Drawer B
21	Joseph O'Brien Egerton†	(630) Norlina, Box 12
22	Hubert H. Eddins†	(155) Zebulon, Route 3
23	Hiram J. Casebolt†	(500) Raleigh, 107 Longview Lake Drive
24	D. Grayson Senter†	(258) Fuquay-Varina, Route 1
25	Elmer A. Guyolt†	(172) Sanford, Box 2176
26	John B. Adams, Jr.†, C.L.	(495) Rockingham, Rt. 3, Box 272
27	A. Boyd Keziah†	(244) Monroe, 410 Roosevelt Boulevard
28	E. Stansil Aldridge†	(348) Albemarle, Box 207
29	Herbert D. Holland†, C.L.	(699) Asheboro, Box 1
30	E. M. Pendergraph†, C.L.	(409) Burlington, Box 3354
31	Donald B. Tilley, Jr.†	(158) Bahama, Route 1, Box 43
32	Otis L. Harrison†	(412) Oxford, Route 5, Box 52
33	Jerry T. DePriest†	(136) Spray, 107 Ray Street
34	Edward O. Ridert†	(542) Greensboro, Box 1943
35	Shutt Hartmant†, C.L.	(289) Winston-Salem, Box 5496
36	James E. Mosteller†, C.L.	(344) High Point, 914 Montlieu Avenue
37	Zeb J. Bost†	(657) Gold Hill
38	Lewis P. Hartist†, C.L.	(695) Kannapolis, 1104 Central Drive
39	Ralph L. Weddington†	(205) Charlotte, 466 Lytleton Drive
40	Thomas J. Mann†	(328) Charlotte, 1415 Wachovia Bank Bldg.
41	Rodney E. Robinson†	(137) Denver, Route 1
42	Marshall Dilling, Jr.†, C.L.	(369) Gastonia, Box 8
43	Flay A. Willist†	(356) Lawndale, Route 3
44	Joe P. Spencer†	(606) Catawba, P.O. Box 7
45	Tom W. Kellert†	(299) Hamptonville, Route 1, Box 89
46	A. Crouse Jones†	(434) Winston-Salem, 1448 W. Clemmonsville Rd.
47	Malcolm H. Cagle†	(322) Mt. Airy, 209 Wrenn Avenue
48	Samuel W. Millert†	(45) Wilkesboro, 401 Faw Street
49	James P. Kelly†	(423) Sparta, Box 212
50	Gerald D. Hill†, C.L.	(706) Newport, Route 2, Box 67-B
51	Robert T. Curtist†	(554) Spruce Pine, 504 Highland Avenue
52	John N. Smith†	(460) Henrietta, Box 427
53	W. Kenneth Buckner†	(397) Mars Hill
54	Emett D. Chandler†	(118) Asheville, 15 Bear Creek Road
55	Henry Huntsinger†	(605) Mill Spring
56	Mark C. Swaim†, C.L.	(386) Canton, Route 1
57	George N. Crawford, Sr.†	(358) Cullowhee, Box 194
58	Hardie Morris†	(439) Murphy, Route 1

† Past Master

DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND LECTURERS—1967-68

1	Willie P. Goodwin†, C.L.	(7) Edenton
2	William P. Harrell†, C.L.	(171) Colerain, Box 114
3	Ephay B. Priest†, C.L.	(521) Manieo, Box 52
4	Wilmer C. Chesson†, C.L.	(59) Plymouth, Box 602
5	Earnest Coy Avery†, C.L.	(284) Greenville, 617 Martinsborough Rd.
6	W. R. Leggett, C.L.	(705) Kinston, 617 Meriwether Lane
7	William R. Waters, C.L.	(568) New Bern, 1701 Green Spring Road
8	William F. Thomason†, C.L.	(680) Jacksonville, 1108 River Rd.
9	James I. Reynolds, C.L.	(98) Clinton, Box 853
10	Alvis R. Hardy†, C.L.	(319) Wilmington, 1010 Cypress Drive
11	Coolidge Wright†, C.L.	(563) Clarendon, Rt. 1, Box 242
12	Thomas W. White, C.L.	(114) Lumberton, 1007 Riverside Dr.
13	Morton Fleishman, C.L.	(679) Fayetteville, 116 Donaldson St.
14	T. Eugene Tariff, C.L.	(125) Newton Grove, Rt. 1
15	J. F. Butler Holt†, C.L.	(617) Princeton, Rt. 2
16	L. Ralph Howell†, C.L.	(112) Goldsboro, Cherry Hospital, Box 21
17	Paul A. Bailey†, C.L.	(527) Lucama, Rt. 2
18	Wilbur F. Cox†, C.L.	(230) Rocky Mount, 1214 W. Thomas Street
19	C. G. Grant†, C.L.	(519) Roanoke Rapids, 121 Jackson St.
20	Charles E. Eldridge†, C.L.	(519) Roanoke Rapids, 40 Vance Street
21	Grady I. Carriker, C.L.	(229) Kitlell, Route 1
22	Horace L. Macon†, C.L.	(282) Wake Forest, Rt. 2
23	R. Gage Smith†, C.L.	(218) Raleigh, 1116 Norris St.
24	Bruce C. Ferrell†, C.L.	(277) Apex, Rt. 3
25	Hubert V. Massengill†, C.L.	(151) Sanford, Rt. 3, Carbondon Road
26	Bulah A. Cox†, C.L.	(654) Ellerbe
27	Bobby J. Godwin, C.L.	(31) Charlotte, 7124 Lakeside Dr.
28	Lee Roy Whitley†, C.L.	(348) Albemarle, 1202 W. Main St.
29	Keith G. Hodgint†, C.L.	(699) Asheboro, 721 Worth Street
30	Robert B. Saunders†, C.L.	(492) Graham, 417 Banks Street
31	Charles T. Fleichert†, C.L.	(210) Durham, 1410 Woodland Drive
32	L. E. Tutent†, C.L.	(122) Henderson, Box 248
33	Fred Lawrence McDowell†, C.L.	(384) Reidsville, Box 156
34	William D. Maness†, C.L.	(552) Greensboro, 405 Mimosa Drive
35	Robert W. Woosley†, C.L.	(289) Winston-Salem, 1716 Grace Street
36	Dewey Shelton†, C.L.	(681) High Point, Box 4041
37	H. Clifford Beaver†, C.L.	(99) Salisbury, 1109 Emerald Street
38	Billy Lovet†, C.L.	(32) Concord
39	Max Hamilton, C.L.	(205) Charlotte, Route 11
40	Walter C. Mahaffey†, C.L.	(692) Charlotte, 1729 Chatham Avenue
41	Raymond E. Rhyne, C.L.	(544) Mount Holly, 407 Hawthorne Street
42	Johnnie Eugene Howell, C.L.	(112) Gastonia, 1910 White St.
43	Robert L. Beam†, C.L.	(375) Grover, Route 1
44	Elwyn D. Bowman, C.L.	(343) Hickory, Route 3
45	William A. Davidson†, C.L.	(486) Mooresville, 235 N. Academy Street
46	Robert V. Martin†, C.L.	(434) Lewisville, 715 Shallowford Road
47	William W. Wilkins†, C.L.	(691) Mount Airy, Box 310
48	James M. Joines†, C.L.	(573) Wilbar
49	Franklin W. Royalt†, C.L.	(423) Glade Valley
50	Oscar J. Aldridge, C.L.	(725) New Bern, Rt. 1, Box 111
51	Joe T. Bailiff†, C.L.	(598) Elk Park, Route 1
52	Gilbert J. Mathis, C.L.	(673) Spindale, Box 631
53	George M. Slagle†, C.L.	(292) Alexander, Box 46
54	Horace B. Self, C.L.	(118) Arden, 65 Appian Way
55	James A. Hall, Jr., C.L.	(387) Hendersonville, 1928 Brevard Road
56	Reuben W. Rector, C.L.	(386) Canton, Box 1021
57	Kolen Flack, C.L.	(427) Bryson City
58	J. D. Decker, C.L.	(146) Murphy, Box 142

† Past Master

PROCEEDINGS OF THE

EMERGENT COMMUNICATION

An Emergent Communication of the Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of North Carolina was held in the Hall of Wayne Lodge No. 112, A. F. & A. M. in Goldsboro, North Carolina, on Saturday, June 11, 1966, at 3:00 P.M. with the following present:

GRAND LODGE OFFICERS

M. W. Arnold J. Koonce, Sr., P.M. (716) ----- *Grand Master*
 R. W. Alfred A. Kafer, Jr., P.M. (3) ----- *Deputy Grand Master*
 R. W. Robert N. Bass, Jr., P.M. (97) ----- *Senior Grand Warden*
 R. W. William A. Hooks, P.M. (84) ----- *Junior Grand Warden*
 M. W. James W. Brewer, P.G.M. (708) ----- *Grand Treasurer*
 R. W. Herbert B. Edgerton, P. M. (112) ----- *as Grand Secretary*
 W. W. Preston Smith, (SD-112) ----- *as Senior Grand Deacon*
 W. William W. Mims, P.M. (530) ----- *Junior Grand Deacon*
 W. Berl M. Kahn, P.M. (112) ----- *Grand Marshal*
 W. Jesse Guy Presnell, Jr. (St-112) ----- *as Grand Steward*
 W. John B. Knight, (JW-112) ----- *as Grand Steward*
 W. Claiborne L. Pate, (112) ----- *as Grand Tyler*
 W. Troy G. Robbins, (694) ----- *Grand Chaplain*
 W. A. D. Leon Gray, P.M. (112) ----- *Grand Chaplain*

PAST GRAND MASTERS

M. W. James W. Brewer, P.G.M. (708); M. W. Charles A. Harris, P.G.M. (113).

The Grand Lodge was opened in AMPLE FORM by M. W. Arnold J. Koonce, Sr., Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina, who announced that the purpose of this Emergent Communication was to lay the cornerstone for the new Temple of Wayne Lodge No. 112, A. F. & A. M.

The Grand Lodge then proceeded to the site of the new Masonic Temple of Wayne Lodge No. 112, A. F. & A. M., located on Norwood Avenue and Highway 70, East, in Goldsboro, North Carolina, for the Ceremony.

W. Brother William D. Edwards, P.M. represented the Building Authorities; W. Brother John A. Narron, P.M. represented the Principal Architect; W. Brother Lester D. Rains, P.M. carried the Three Great Lights; and Brother Richard P. Benton carried the Book of Constitutions.

The Grand Master delivered appropriate remarks to the assemblage as to the purpose of the occasion, and the cornerstone was laid in accordance with the usual Masonic custom.

The oration for the occasion was delivered by W. Brother David N. Henderson, Congressman from the Third

North Carolina District, who was introduced by W. Broth-
er Herbert B. Edgerton. Congressman Henderson is a Past
Master of Wallace Lodge No. 595.

The welcome address was by Brother Ralph G. Jones,
member of Wayne Lodge No. 112.

Following is a list of the contents of the box placed
within the cornerstone:

LIST OF ITEMS PLACED IN THE SEALED
CORNERSTONE BOX

The following items and mementos from the 100th Anniversary
celebration of Wayne Lodge No. 112 held in 1946.

A. Souvenir Lamb Skin Apron.

B. 1946 Roster of Wayne Lodge membership.

C. Program of church service held at Saint Paul Methodist
Church.

D. Banquet Program.

E. Dinner Invitation.

Souvenir program of Raleigh Masonic reunion held May 7, 1955
at which time Wayne Lodge conferred Master Masons Degree
as courtesy to Raleigh Lodges.

Souvenir Program of Wayne Lodge Ladies Night held 1957.

Memorial tribute to Lester Haywood Gillikin presented at the
1960 annual communication of the Grand Lodge of North
Carolina.

Souvenir Program of 1963 Past Master's Night.

Roster of Membership of Wayne Lodge No. 112.

Souvenir Program of Testimonial Dinner held in honor of Wor-
shipful Brother Berl Maurice Kahn, Sr., upon the occasion
of his appointment as Grand Steward of the Grand Lodge
of North Carolina.

Letter from Hiram Lodge No. 40 expressing their appreciation
for conferring Master Masons Degree in Raleigh, on Novem-
ber 6, 1965.

Letter from Most Worshipful Brother G. Dudley Humphrey,
Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina in 1965, congrat-
ulating Wayne Lodge on its contribution to the George Wash-
ington National Masonic Memorial.

Congratulatory letter from Governor Dan Moore upon the occa-
sion of the cornerstone laying of Wayne Lodge.

Letter from Congressman David N. Henderson, United States Con-
gressman from the Third North Carolina Congressional Dis-
trict, accepting invitation to deliver oration at cornerstone
laying.

Picture and Floor Plan of new building.

Program of cornerstone laying.

Several issues of Wayne Lodge Bulletin. (Trestleboard)

Masonic Directory of Grand Lodge of North Carolina for 1956-67.

Copy of Invitation to Cornerstone Laying.

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List of committee members arranging cornerstone ceremony.
One Masonic Token engraved "Wayne Lodge No. 112 A. F. & A. M., 1846-1966."

Copy of list of contents.

Several United States coins of current dates.

List of current officers of Wayne Lodge.

List of living Past Masters of Wayne Lodge.

List of Trustees of Wayne Lodge.

List of Building Committee.

List of all Standing Committees.

List of Life Members and Honorary Members.

Following the completion of the Ceremony, the Grand Lodge returned to the Hall of Wayne Lodge No. 112, where Worshipful Joseph Clifton Sasser, Master of Wayne Lodge No. 112, and Worshipful Brother Berl M. Kahn, Past Master of Wayne Lodge and Grand Marshal of the Grand Lodge, expressed the appreciation of the lodge to the Grand Master and others who participated in the Ceremony, and a brief response was made by the Grand Master.

The purpose for which this Emergent Communication was called having been accomplished, the minutes were read and approved and the Grand Lodge was closed in AMPLE FORM.

ARNOLD J. KOONCE, SR., *Grand Master*

HERBERT B. EDGERTON, *Acting Grand Secretary*

Attest: CHARLES A. HARRIS, *Grand Secretary*

EMERGENT COMMUNICATION

An Emergent Communication of the Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of North Carolina was held in the Hall of Keller Memorial Lodge No. 657, A. F. & A. M., in Rockwell, North Carolina on Saturday, October 1, 1966 at 1:00 P.M. with the following present:

GRAND LODGE OFFICERS

M. W. Arnold J. Koonce, Sr., P.M. (716)	-----	<i>Grand Master</i>
R. W. John W. Puckett, (SW-657)	-----	<i>as Deputy Grand Master</i>
R. W. Robert N. Bass, Jr., P.M. (97)	-----	<i>Senior Grand Warden</i>
R. W. Carl A. Holshouser, (JW-657)	-----	<i>as Junior Grand Warden</i>
R. W. Clarence L. Rhinehart, P.M. (657)	-----	<i>as Grand Treasurer</i>
R. W. Francis G. Misenheimer, (S-657)	-----	<i>as Grand Secretary</i>
W. Charles F. Beidler, (SD-657)	-----	<i>as Senior Grand Deacon</i>
W. Hoyt G. Bost, P.M. (657)	-----	<i>as Junior Grand Deacon</i>
W. Robert P. Dudley, P.M. (202)	-----	<i>as Grand Marshal</i>
W. John A. H. Lingle, (St-657)	-----	<i>as Grand Steward</i>
W. William L. Mills, Jr., P.M. (32)	-----	<i>Grand Steward</i>
W. Fred F. Harding, P.M. (500)	-----	<i>Grand Tyler</i>
W. Clyde M. Barrier, P.M. (657)	-----	<i>as Grand Chaplain</i>

PAST GRAND MASTERS

M. W. J. Giles Hudson, P.G.M. (576); M. W. Charles A. Harris, P.G.M. (113).

The Grand Lodge was opened in AMPLE FORM by M. W. Arnold J. Koonce, Sr., Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina, who announced that the purpose of this Emergent Communication was to lay the cornerstone for the new Temple of Keller Memorial Lodge No. 657, A. F. & A. M.

The Grand Lodge then proceeded to the site of the new Masonic Temple of Keller Memorial Lodge No. 657, A. F. & A. M., located on School Street in Rockwell, North Carolina, for the Ceremony.

W. Brother Hugh A. Beaver, Past Master, represented the Building Authorities; W. Brother Harold W. Barrier, P.M., represented the Principal Architect; W. Brother Harry S. Drury, Master of Keller Memorial Lodge No. 657, carried the Three Great Lights; and W. Brother William F. Wellman, Past Master of Andrew Jackson Lodge No. 576, carried the Book of Constitutions.

The Grand Master delivered appropriate remarks to the assemblage as to the purpose of the occasion, and the cornerstone was laid in accordance with the usual Masonic custom.

The Grand Master recognized the Mayor of Rockwell, the Honorable Marvin W. Hall, who welcomed the Officers of the Grand Lodge to his city and paid glowing tribute to Keller Memorial Lodge No. 657 and its place in the life of the community.

The following is a list of the contents of the box placed within the cornerstone:

Members 145 Plus 1 Fellow Craft.

Officers Elected & Appointed for 1966.

Oxford Orphanage and Masonic & Eastern Star Home Committees.

Past Masters of the Lodge living on December 31, 1965 & 1966.

Salisbury Evening Post, Salisbury, North Carolina.

Oxford Orphanage Magazine.

Past Secretary of Keller Memorial Lodge, 657, A. F. & A. M.

Copy of Program.

Following the completion of the Ceremony, the Grand Lodge returned to the Hall of Keller Memorial Lodge No. 657, where W. Brother Harry S. Drury, Master of the

lodge, expressed appreciation to the Grand Master and others who participated in the Ceremony, and a brief response was made by the Grand Master.

The Grand Master recognized Brothers Floyd M. Burton, DDGM-37, M. W. J. Giles Hudson, P.G.M., William L. Mills, Jr., Grand Steward; Robert N. Bass, Jr., S.G.W.; Fred F. Harding, Grand Tyler; Robert P. Dudley, Assistant to the Grand Secretary, and Charles A. Harris, Grand Secretary, each of whom responded briefly.

The purpose for which this Emergent Communication was called having been accomplished, the minutes were read and approved, and the Grand Lodge was closed in AMPLE FORM.

ARNOLD J. KOONCE, SR., *Grand Master*

FRANCIS G. MISENHEIMER, *Acting Grand Secretary*

Attest: CHARLES A. HARRIS, *Grand Secretary*

EMERGENT COMMUNICATION

An Emergent Communication of the Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of North Carolina was held in the York Rite Temple in New Bern, North Carolina, on Tuesday, November 8, 1966 at 7:30 P.M., with the following present:

GRAND LODGE OFFICERS

M. W. Arnold J. Koonce, Sr., P.M. (716)	Grand Master
R. W. William I. Gause, P.M. (3)	as Deputy Grand Master
R. W. James Chance, P.M. (724)	as Senior Grand Warden
R. W. Henry T. Davis, (JW-724)	as Junior Grand Warden
R. W. James M. Sutton, (Tyler-724)	as Grand Treasurer
R. W. Nathaniel M. Baxter, (Master-724)	as Grand Secretary
W. Charles E. Williams, (3)	as Senior Grand Deacon
W. Alva L. Williams, (724)	as Junior Grand Deacon
R. W. Robert N. Bass, Jr., (SGW-97)	as Grand Marshal
W. C. Cyril Edwards, Jr., (S-724)	as Grand Steward
W. Archie E. Hassell, Jr., (724)	as Grand Steward
W. Henry A. Barrow, (Treas.-724)	as Grand Tyler
W. A. D. Leon Gray, P.M. (122)	Grand Chaplain

PAST GRAND MASTERS

M. W. James W. Brewer, P.G.M. (708); M. W. Robert L. Pugh, P.G.M. (568); M. W. Charles C. Ricker, P.G.M. (118); M. W. Harvey W. Smith, P.G.M. (109); M. W. Charles A. Harris, P.G.M. (113).

OTHER GRAND LODGE OFFICERS

R. W. Robert N. Bass, Jr., S.G.W. (97); W. Robert P. Dudley, Assistant to the Grand Secretary (202).

The Grand Lodge was opened in AMPLE FORM by Most Worshipful Arnold J. Koonce, Sr., Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina, who announced that the purpose of this Emergent Communication was to dedicate the new Temple of the York Rite Bodies of New Bern.

The Grand Master dispensed with Labor and several who were not Master Masons were admitted for the Ceremony.

The Ceremony of Dedication was then conducted with the usual Masonic custom. W. Brother Alvia Hearren, P.M. (725) acted as Master in the Ceremony; W. Brother Henry L. Dixon, (568) was the Principal Architect; W. Brother Lloyd G. Brinson, Secretary of Grantham Lodge No. 725 was the Bearer of the Constitution; W. Brother Clifton D. Meadows, Senior Deacon of St. John's Lodge No. 3, was the Bearer of the Taper; and W. Brother Harvey J. Daniels, P.M. (3) was the Bearer of the Three Great Lights.

The Ceremony having been completed, the Oration for the occasion was delivered by M. W. Brother Charles C. Ricker, P.G.M. (118).

Music for the occasion was rendered by Miss Catherine Latta, soloist, who was accompanied at the organ by Brother Arvids K. Snornieks (568).

Those who were not Master Masons retired to the Banquet Hall and Labor was resumed in the Grand Lodge.

W. Brother Nathaniel M. Baxter, Master of Berne Lodge No. 724 and also Grand High Priest of the Grand Royal Arch Chapter of North Carolina, expressed appreciation to the Grand Master and others for their contributions to this occasion.

The following Officers of the Grand York Rite Bodies of North Carolina were recognized:

Nathaniel M. Baxter, Grand High Priest; Charles C. Ricker, Past Grand High Priest, Past Grand Commander, and Grand Secretary-Recorder; John H. Parker, Past Grand High Priest, Past Grand Commander, and Past Grand Secretary-Recorder; John H. Pierczynski, Grand Master Third Veil; Blake C. Lewis, Grand Master First Veil; William C. Hammond, Jr., District High Priest.

Robert L. Grubb, Grand Master of the Grand Council; Alva L. Williams, Grand Captain of the Guard; Thomas G. Slate, Past Grand Master of the Grand Council; Hiram J.

Casebolt, Grand Conductor of the Council; and B. Ralph Cato, Grand Sentinel; and Dr. William I. Gause, Past Grand Master of the Grand Council.

C. Wallace Jackson, Grand Commander; William L. Ramsey, Past Grand Commander; W. Bryan Phelps, Grand Generalissimo; A. Oden Latham, Grand Standard Bearer; J. Alex Adams, Grand Captain of the Guard.

Nelson B. Banks, Recorder of Sudan Temple.

The purpose for which this Emergent Communication was called having been accomplished, the minutes were read and approved, and the Grand Lodge was closed in AMPLE FORM.

ARNOLD J. KOONCE, SR., *Grand Master*

NATHANIEL M. BAXTER, *Acting Grand Secretary*

Attest: CHARLES A. HARRIS, *Grand Secretary*

EMERGENT COMMUNICATION

An Emergent Communication of the Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of North Carolina was held in the Hall of West Asheville Lodge No. 665, A.F.&A.M. in West Asheville, North Carolina on Friday, November 11, 1966, at 7:30 P.M. with the following present:

GRAND LODGE OFFICERS

M.'W.'Arnold J. Koonce, P.M. (716)-----*Grand Master*
 R.'W.'Samuel S. Cowan, P.M. (665)-----*as Deputy Grand Master*
 R.'W.'B. Edwin Gaston, (SW-665)-----*as Senior Grand Warden*
 R.'W.'Joe Howard Roberts, P.M. (665)-----*as Junior Grand Warden*
 R.'W.'Charles Clifton Andrews, P.M. (665)-----*as Grand Treasurer*
 R.'W.'Daniel S. Judd, P.M. (S-665)-----*as Grand Secretary*
 W.'Henry Delos Murphy, (SD-665)-----*as Senior Grand Deacon*
 W.'John W. Davis, (JD-665)-----*as Junior Grand Deacon*
 R.'W.'Robert N. Bass, Jr., S.G.W. (97)-----*as Grand Marshal*
 W.'Robert K. DeWeese, P.M. (665)-----*as Grand Steward*
 W.'William A. Kilgo, P.M. (665)-----*as Grand Steward*
 W.'James A. Burnette, P.M. (665)-----*as Grand Tyler*
 W.'A. D. Leon Gray, P.M. (122)-----*Grand Chaplain*

PAST GRAND MASTERS

M.'W.'Charles A. Harris, P.G.M. (113) *Grand Secretary*

OTHER GRAND LODGE OFFICERS

R.'W.'Robert N. Bass, Jr., S.G.W. (97); W.'Berl M. Kahn, Gr. Marshal (112); W.'Fred F. Harding, Grand Tyler (500); W.'William W. Mims, Jr., J.G.D. (530); W.'William L. Mills, Gr. Steward (32); W.'Robert P. Dudley, P.M., Assistant to the Grand Secretary (202).

The Grand Lodge was opened in AMPLE FORM by M.'W.'Arnold J. Koonce, Sr., Grand Master of Masons in

North Carolina, who announced that the purpose of this Emergent Communication was to dedicate the new Temple of West Asheville Lodge No. 665, A.F.&A.M.

The Grand Master dispensed with Labor and several who were not Master Masons were admitted for the Ceremony.

The Ceremony of Dedication was then conducted with the usual Masonic Custom. W. Brother Eugene D. Stockton, Master of West Asheville Lodge No. 665, acted as Master in the Ceremony; W. Brother W. Kelly Roberts, P.M. (665) acted as the Principle Architect; W. Brother Dan Seay was the Bearer of the Taper; W. Brother Anson G. Melton, Jr., (665) was the Bearer of the Constitution; and W. Brother William S. Seay, P.M. was the Bearer of the Three Great Lights.

The Ceremony having been completed the oration was delivered by Most Worshipful Brother Arnold J. Koonce, Sr., Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina.

Music for the occasion was rendered by Mrs. William Daniel Seay, pianist.

Scripture reading was by W. Brother Thomas M. Mason, Past Master and present Secretary of Mount Hermon Lodge No. 118.

50-Year Veterans' Emblems and Certificates were presented by the Grand Master to Brothers William Arthur Kilgo and Thomas Oran Ferguson. Brother Kilgo is the oldest living Past Master of West Asheville Lodge No. 665 in point of service, having served the lodge in this capacity in 1930.

The Grand Lodge Officers present were introduced to the gathering by the Grand Master.

Those who were not Master Masons retired and Labor was resumed in the Grand Lodge.

W. Brother Eugene D. Stockton, Master of West Asheville Lodge No. 665, expressed the appreciation of the Lodge to the Grand Master and others present for their contributions to the occasion.

The purpose for which this Emergent Communication was called having been accomplished, the minutes were read and approved and the Grand Lodge was closed in AMPLE FORM.

ARNOLD J. KOONCE, SR., *Grand Master*

DANIEL S. JUDD, *Acting Grand Secretary*

ATTEST: CHARLES A. HARRIS, *Grand Secretary*

EMERGENT COMMUNICATION

An Emergent Communication of the Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of North Carolina was held in the Hall of Lee Lodge No. 253, A.F.&A.M., in Taylorsville, North Carolina, on Tuesday, December 6, 1966, at 7:30 P. M., with the following present:

GRAND LODGE OFFICERS

M. W. Arnold J. Koonce, Sr., P.M. (716) ----- *Grand Master*
 R. W. Tom W. Keller, P.M. (299) ----- *as Deputy Grand Master*
 R. W. Carroll E. Laws, P.M. (253) ----- *as Senior Grand Warden*
 R. W. Paul P. Jenkins, (SW-253) ----- *as Junior Grand Warden*
 R. W. Clifford G. Watts, P.M. (253) ----- *as Grand Treasurer*
 R. W. Walter W. Harrington, P.M. (S-253) ----- *as Grand Secretary*
 W. Maurice E. Walsh, P.M. (407) ----- *Senior Grand Deacon*
 W. Howard T. Campbell, (253) ----- *as Junior Grand Deacon*
 W. Robert P. Dudley, P.M. (202) ----- *as Grand Marshal*
 W. Gail A. White, P.M. (253) ----- *as Grand Steward*
 W. Graydon E. Deal, (St-253) ----- *as Grand Steward*
 W. Clarence R. Hyder, (Tyler-253) ----- *as Grand Tyler*
 W. A. D. Leon Gray, P.M. (122) ----- *Grand Chaplain*

PAST GRAND MASTERS

M. W. W. Edward Burrier, P.G.M. (31); M. W. Sam A. Hennis, Jr., P.G.M. (322); M. W. Charles A. Harris, P.G.M. (113).

OTHER GRAND LODGE OFFICERS

W. Maurice E. Walsh, S.G.D. (407); W. Robert P. Dudley, Assistant to the Grand Secretary (202).

The Grand Lodge was opened in AMPLE FORM by M. W. Arnold J. Koonce, Sr., Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina, who announced that the purpose of this Emergent Communication was to dedicate the new Temple of Lee Lodge No. 253, A.F.&A.M.

The Grand Master dispensed with Labor and several who were not Master Masons were admitted for the Ceremony.

The Grand Master recognized W. Brother Frank J. Wier, Master of Lee Lodge No. 253, who welcomed the many visitors and also gave a brief history of the lodge.

The Ceremony of Dedication was then conducted with the usual Masonic Custom. W. Brother Frank J. Wier, Master, acted as Master in the Ceremony; W. Brother W. Lamar McHargue, (253) was the Principal Architect; W. Brother T. Clyde Watts, P.M., (253) was the Bearer of the Taper; W. Brother Waverly M. Moose, P.M. (253) was the Bearer of the Constitution; and W. Brother Osler S. Gilreath, (253) was the Bearer of the Three Great Lights.

The Ceremony having been completed, the Grand Master recognized M. W. Brother Sam A. Hennis, Jr., P.G.M., who was Grand Master when the cornerstone for this building was laid, following which the oration for the occasion was delivered by M. W. Brother W. Edward Burrier, P.G.M., who actually laid the cornerstone due to the illness of Brother Hennis.

Music for the occasion was rendered by Mrs. Nancy L. Carrigan, Miss Flora L. Echerd, and Mrs. Barbara W. Jenkins, who were accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Irene B. Harrington.

Those who were not Master Masons retired to the banquet hall and Labor was resumed in the Grand Lodge.

W. Brother Frank J. Wier, Master, expressed the lodge's appreciation to the Grand Master and others for their contributions to the occasion.

The purpose for which this Emergent Communication was called having been accomplished, the minutes were read and approved and the Grand Lodge was closed in AMPLE FORM.

ARNOLD J. KOONCE, SR. *Grand Master*

WALTER W. HARRINGTON, *Acting Grand Secretary*

Attest: CHARLES A. HARRIS, *Grand Secretary*

EMERGENT COMMUNICATION

An Emergent Communication of the Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of North Carolina was held in the Hall of Oxford Lodge No. 122, A. F. & A. M., in Oxford, North Carolina, on Friday, April 7, 1967, at 2:30 P.M. with the following present:

GRAND LODGE OFFICERS

M. W. Arnold J. Koonce, Sr., P.M. (716)	Grand Master
R. W. Robert L. Martin, P.M. (589)	as Deputy Grand Master
R. W. Robert N. Bass, Jr., P.M. (97)	Senior Grand Warden
R. W. William A. Hooks, P.M. (84)	Junior Grand Warden
M. W. James W. Brewer, P.G.M. (708)	Grand Treasurer
R. W. Eli Troy Regan, P.M. (122)	as Grand Secretary
W. Edward Scholar Powell, (SD-122)	as Senior Grand Deacon
W. William B. Bartholomew, (M 412)	as Junior Grand Deacon
W. A. D. Leon Gray, P.M. (122)	as Grand Marshal
W. Joseph O. Egerton, P.M. (630)	as Grand Steward
W. Jack T. Dossett, (210)	as Grand Steward
W. Fred F. Harding, P.M. (500)	Grand Tyler
W. Troy G. Robbins, (694)	Grand Chaplain

PROCEEDINGS OF THE

PAST GRAND MASTERS

M. W. James W. Brewer, P.G.M. (708)

M. W. Charles A. Harris, P.G.M. (113)

The Grand Lodge was opened in AMPLE FORM by M. W. Arnold J. Koonce, Sr., Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina, who announced that the purpose of this Emergent Communication was to lay the cornerstone for the new Boys' Cottage on the campus of the Oxford Orphanage.

The Grand Lodge then proceeded to the site of the new Boys' Cottage at the Orphanage for the Ceremony.

W. Brother Samuel A. Oliver, Jr., P.M. (113) represented the Building Authorities; Carroll Tyner represented the Principal Architect; W. Brother Allen G. Colenda, Master of Oxford Lodge No. 122, carried the Three Great Lights; and W. Brother W. Edward Warren, P.M. (122) carried the Book of Constitutions.

The Grand Master delivered appropriate remarks to the assemblage as to the purpose of the occasion, and the cornerstone was laid in accordance with the usual Masonic custom.

Music was by the Glee Club of the Oxford Orphanage under the direction of Mrs. Virginia Clay.

Following is a list of the contents of the box placed within the stone:

Proceedings of the Grand Lodge of A. F. & A. M. of North Carolina for 1966.

Proceedings of the York Rite of Freemasonry of North Carolina for 1966: Grand Chapter, Royal Arch Masons, Grand Council, Royal and Select Masters, Grand Commandery, Knights Templar.

93rd Annual Report of the Board of Directors and the Superintendent of the Oxford Orphanage to the Grand Lodge of A. F. & A. M. of North Carolina, for the year ending September 30, 1965.

94th Annual Report of the Board of Directors and Superintendent of the Oxford Orphanage to the Grand Lodge of A. F. & A. M. of North Carolina, for the year ending September 30, 1966.

The Orphan's Friend and Masonic Journal—Vol. XCII, No. 1, January, 1967; Vol. XCII, No. 2, February, 1967; Vol. XCII, No. 3, March, 1967.

Sudan Temple *Red Fez*—Vol. XXXVI, No. 1, March, 1967.

Oasis Temple *Desert Dust*—Volume 1967, No. 2.

Freedom Booklets of the Supreme Council, 33°, Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry, Southern Jurisdiction,

United States of America: Our Public Schools, The Road to Freedom, Our U. S. A., Communism Menaces Freedom, Church and State, Free Enterprise, The Declaration of Independence, The Constitution of the United States of America, the Monroe Doctrine, and other Articles of Interest to every American.

Following the completion of the Ceremony, the Grand Lodge returned to the Hall of Oxford Lodge No. 122, where W. Brother A. D. Leon Gray, P.M., Superintendent of the Oxford Orphanage, expressed sincere appreciation to the Grand Master and others who participated in the Ceremony, and a brief response was made by the Grand Master.

The purpose for which this Emergent Communication was called having been accomplished, the minutes were read and approved and the Grand Lodge was closed in AMPLE FORM.

ARNOLD J. KOONCE, *Grand Master*

ELI TROY REGAN, *Acting Grand Secretary*

Attest: CHARLES A. HARRIS, *Grand Secretary*

EMERGENT COMMUNICATION

An Emergent Communication of the Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of North Carolina was held in the Hall of Farmington Lodge No. 265, A. F. & A. M., of Route 2, Mocksville, North Carolina, on Saturday, April 8, 1967, at 2:30 P.M., with the following present:

GRAND LODGE OFFICERS

M. W. Arnold J. Koonce, Sr., P.M. (716) ----- *Grand Master*
 R. W. Tam L. Shumaker, P.M. (407) ----- *as Deputy Grand Master*
 R. W. Robert N. Bass, Jr., P.M. (97) ----- *Senior Grand Warden*
 R. W. A. Crouse Jones, P.M. (434) ----- *as Junior Grand Warden*
 R. W. De Reid Bennett, P.M. (265) ----- *as Grand Treasurer*
 R. W. John C. Hartman, P.M. (265) ----- *as Grand Secretary*
 W. Maurice E. Walsh, P.M. (407) ----- *Senior Grand Deacon*
 W. Richard J. Brock, (JW-265) ----- *as Junior Grand Deacon*
 W. Robert P. Dudley, P.M. (202) ----- *as Grand Marshal*
 W. Charles M. Lashley, (SW-265) ----- *as Grand Steward*
 W. Cecil E. Leagans, P.M. (265) ----- *as Grand Steward*
 W. Franklin D. York, P.M. (265) ----- *as Grand Tyler*
 W. Robert V. Martin, P.M. (434) ----- *as Grand Chaplain*

PAST GRAND MASTERS

M. W. Charles A. Harris, P.G.M. (113) *Grand Secretary.*

The Grand Lodge was opened in AMPLE FORM by M. W. Arnold J. Koonce, Sr., Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina, who announced that the purpose of this

Emergent Communication was to set in place a commemorative stone in the wall of the new Temple of Farmington Lodge No. 265, A. F. & A. M.

The Grand Lodge then proceeded to the site of the new Temple of Farmington Lodge No. 265, located on Church Street in Farmington, for the ceremony.

W. .Brother Henry Norman Blake, Master of Farmington Lodge No. 265, represented the Building Authorities; W. .Brother Willis Eugene James, P.M. (265) represented the Principal Architect; W. .Brother William Wilbur Spillman, P.M. (265) carried the Three Great Lights; and W. .Brother George A. Hartman, P.M. (265) carried the Book of Constitutions.

The Grand Master delivered appropriate remarks to the assemblage as to the purpose of the occasion, and the commemorative stone was set in place in accordance with the usual Masonic custom.

Following the completion of the Ceremony, the Grand Lodge returned to the Hall of Farmington Lodge No. 265, where W. .Brother A. Crouse Jones, District Deputy Grand Master of the 46th Masonic District, and W. .Brother H. Norman Blake, Master of Farmington Lodge No. 265, thanked the Grand Master and others who participated in the Ceremony, and a brief response was made by the Grand Master.

Brother H. Norman Blake, Master of Farmington Lodge No. 265, presented an autographed copy of Bahnson's Manual to the Grand Master, which included the signatures of each of the Brethren present on this occasion. The Grand Master assured those present that he would always prize this book because it came from the home lodge of the illustrious author of our North Carolina Lodge Manual, the late Brother Charles Frederick Bahnson, who completed the book in 1892.

The Grand Master recognized each of the Grand Lodge Officers present, as well as Brothers Tam L. Shumaker, Grand High Priest of the Grand Royal Arch Chapter of North Carolina, and Robert P. Dudley, Troy G. Robbins, A. D. Leon Gray, and others. Each of these brethren responded briefly.

The purpose for which this Emergent Communication was called having been accomplished, the minutes were read

and approved, and the Grand Lodge was closed in AMPLE FORM.

ARNOLD J. KOONCE, *Grand Master*

JOHN C. HARTMAN, *Acting Grand Secretary*

Attest: CHARLES A. HARRIS, *Grand Secretary*

EMERGENT COMMUNICATION

An Emergent Communication of the Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of North Carolina was held in the Hall of Wayne Lodge No. 112, A.F.&A.M., in Goldsboro, North Carolina, on Saturday, April 15, 1967 at 7:30 P.M., with the following present:

GRAND LODGE OFFICERS

M. W. Arnold J. Koonce, Sr., P.M. (716) ----- *Grand Master*
 R. W. John A. Narron, P.M. (112) ----- *as Deputy Grand Master*
 R. W. John B. Knight, (SW-112) ----- *as Senior Grand Warden*
 R. W. William Preston Smith, (JW-112) ----- *as Junior Grand Warden*
 R. W. Donald C. Rouse, P.M. (112) ----- *as Grand Treasurer*
 R. W. Herbert B. Edgerton, P.M. (112) ----- *as Grand Secretary*
 W. L. Allen Barwick, (SD-112) ----- *as Senior Grand Deacon*
 W. Jesse Guy Presnell, Jr., (JD-112) ----- *as Junior Grand Deacon*
 W. Berl M. Kahn, P.M. (112) ----- *Grand Marshal*
 W. Albert L. Wells, Jr., (St-112) ----- *as Grand Steward*
 W. Emmett E. Daughtry, (St-112) ----- *as Grand Steward*
 W. Walter B. Crumpler, Jr., (Ty-112) ----- *as Grand Tyler*
 W. A. D. Leon Gray, P.M. (122) ----- *Grand Chaplain*

OTHER GRAND LODGE OFFICERS

R. W. Alfred A. Kafer, Jr., (3) *Deputy Grand Master*; R. W. Robert N. Bass, Jr., (97) *Senior Grand Warden*; R. W. William A. Hooks, (84) *Junior Grand Warden*; M. W. James W. Brewer, P.G.M., (708) *Grand Treasurer*; M. W. Charles A. Harris, P.G.M., (113) *Grand Secretary*; W. William W. Mims, Jr., (530) *Junior Grand Deacon*; W. Nathaniel C. Dean, (150) *Grand Steward*; W. Fred F. Harding, (500) *Grand Tyler*; W. Troy G. Robbins, (694) *Assistant Grand Chaplain*; W. Robert P. Dudley, (202) *Assistant to the Grand Secretary*.

OTHER PAST GRAND MASTERS

M. W. Robert L. Pugh, P.G.M. (568)

The Grand Lodge was opened in AMPLE FORM by M. W. Arnold J. Koonce, Sr., *Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina*, who announced that the purpose of this Emergent Communication was to dedicate the new Temple of Wayne Lodge No. 112, A. F. & A. M.

W. Brother Claiborne L. Pate, *Master of Wayne Lodge No. 112*, welcomed the visitors from a large number of lodges, and also recognized a number of guests.

The Ceremony of Dedication was then conducted with the usual Masonic custom. W. Brother Claiborne L. Pate, Master (112) acted as Master in the Ceremony; W. Brother William D. Edwards, P.M. (112) was the Principal Architect; W. Brother Harold Edgerton, P.M. (112) was the Bearer of the Constitution; and W. Brother Cecil M. Pate, P.M. (112) was the Bearer of the Three Great Lights.

The Ceremony having been completed, the oration for the occasion was delivered by M. W. Brother Arnold J. Koonce, Sr., Grand Master.

Music for the occasion was rendered by Brothers Sherwood L. Jones, Eugene Roberts, Boyd Spence, Richard Purcer, and Frazier Williams, who were accompanied at the piano by Brother Peyton Brown.

The Grand Master recognized each of the Grand Lodge Officers present, as well as several other brethren, all of whom responded briefly.

W. Brother Claiborne L. Pate, Master of Wayne Lodge No. 112, expressed the lodge's appreciation to the Grand Master and others for their contributions to the occasion.

The Grand Master presented a copy of the Masonic Ceremonies book which he used in the laying of the cornerstone for this building on June 11, 1966, to the Master of Wayne Lodge No. 112.

The purpose for which this Emergent Communication was called having been accomplished, the minutes were read and approved, and the Grand Lodge was closed in AMPLE FORM.

ARNOLD J. KOONCE, SR., *Grand Master*

HERBERT B. EDGERTON, *Acting Grand Secretary*

Attest: CHARLES A. HARRIS, *Grand Secretary*

FIRST DAY AFTERNOON SESSION

The Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of North Carolina, convened in its One Hundred Eightieth Annual Communication in Memorial Auditorium, Raleigh, North Carolina, on Tuesday, April 18, 1967, at 1:00 P.M., and was opened in DUE FORM by R. W. Brother Alfred A. Kafer, Jr., Deputy Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina, a constitutional number of lodges being represented.

Prayer was offered by W. Brother William S. Teachey, Grand Chaplain.

RECEPTION OF GRAND MASTER

The Most Worshipful Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina, Brother Arnold J. Koonce, Sr., was presented by the Grand Marshal, welcomed by the Right Worshipful Deputy Grand Master, Brother Alfred A. Kafer, Jr., escorted to the East, accorded the Private Grand Honors and presented the gavel.

RECEPTION OF THE GOVERNOR OF NORTH CAROLINA

His Excellency, Worshipful Brother Daniel K. Moore, Governor of North Carolina and Grand Orator of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina, was conducted by the Grand Marshal; presented by R. W. Robert N. Bass, Jr. Senior Grand Warden; welcomed by the Grand Master; escorted to the East; and accorded the Private Grand Honors.

ADDRESS OF THE GRAND ORATOR

The Grand Master recognized and presented W. Brother Daniel K. Moore, Grand Orator of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina, who delivered the following oration:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

In my message to the Legislature earlier this year, I outlined the most comprehensive and expensive program ever presented to a General Assembly in North Carolina. I asked for necessary expansions in all areas of State service to our people. The recommended budget totaled \$2.7 billion, the largest in history. My total program is ambitious, but it is essential for continued growth and development.

I pointed with pride to what has been accomplished in North Carolina in the last two years. I believe, as I told the General Assembly, this State "has taken a giant step forward toward greatness in all areas." However, we cannot afford to pause now, to relax our efforts. We must move ahead in all areas, accelerate the pace of progress.

The purpose of our efforts, indeed of my administration, is, as I told the General Assembly, "to provide the means for a better and more useful life for every man, woman and child in North Carolina."

I have asked myself many times just how realistic is this goal. I am convinced that it is possible, that we are moving closer to that goal every year. We are providing more and better job opportunities, but there are still some of our citizens in need. We are providing better educational opportunities, but all are not and cannot take advantage of them. We are providing the way to a better life, but some are hesitant or too handicapped to begin.

The opportunity of helping others help themselves has been with us for a long time. The Masons and the several religious denominations have been helpful through the years in providing assistance for the needy. They have done and are today doing an excellent job and are helping thousands of needy North Carolinians. The Oxford Orphanage, supported by the Masons, is an excellent example and is one in which the entire order can take pride.

At one time, the churches, organizations such as the Masons, and to some extent the counties were able to provide adequate care for the unfortunate. However, as the population grew and as times became more difficult, as during the depression, the needs of some groups of citizens were such that the State and the Federal Government had to assume some of the responsibility.

Providing necessary assistance today is a tremendous responsibility. In some ways it is growing in spite of our recent prosperity. The number of people over 65 is continually increasing, and some of our older citizens do not have the means to adequately provide for themselves. We still have sick who cannot work and who do not have families able to provide for their needs.

Helping others help themselves is as worthy a goal today as ever before. The churches, organizations such as the Masons, and individuals are doing an outstanding job. But, the needs are so great and the demands are so numerous that the private segment of our society has to have assistance in providing necessary aid. Never, however, can we as individuals, or as private groups, become indifferent to the needs and suffering of others, and place the entire burden upon the State.

The State of North Carolina is helping to provide the assistance through the North Carolina Department of Public Welfare. I say "helping" because that is actually what the State is doing. The needs for assistance are such that all levels of Government are involved along with non-Governmental groups. Today public welfare in North Carolina is a three-way partnership between the State, the Federal Government and the county.

Funds are administered through welfare departments in the 100 counties. Supervision is provided by the State. During the past fiscal year, this spending totaled \$105 million. Of this, 71 per cent came from the Federal Government. The State furnished roughly 13.5 per cent, and the counties supplied 15.5 per cent.

Today I would like to talk with you about the efforts under way to provide help for the needy. There are misconceptions about how and why welfare operates. I believe by talking a little about the supervision and the various programs these misconceptions can be cleared up, and hopefully, each of you will have a better idea about what the State is doing to help provide aid for needy citizens.

First, although welfare is a changing concept, the idea of helping others help themselves goes back to the beginning of our State. As I have noted, families, churches, and organizations early gave assistance to less fortunate people, and, of course, they still do. Counties also early helped with county homes for the elderly and assistance to the needy.

The State Constitution of 1868 voiced concern for the poor and unfortunate. At that time provision was made for a board to supervise charitable, penal and correctional institutions and to look after the general welfare of "the poor, the unfortunate, and the orphan." This was the basis for a broad public welfare program which began in 1917 and continued until the depression of the 1930's.

In 1935, the Federal Social Security Act was enacted. It made funds available to help pay for assistance to persons in need. By 1937 North Carolina was ready to utilize these funds. It was in that period that county welfare departments were established and the program began to develop. As time has brought change in the way of living in North Carolina, so too has it brought change in the assistance programs.

Today the welfare program at the State level is supervised by a State Board of Public Welfare. The Board consists of seven capable and dedicated people. Its chairman is Robert C. Howison, Jr., of Raleigh. The Board makes policy and sets the course of the State's participation in the program. This Board has done an outstanding job, and I commend each member for his service to the people of North Carolina.

The Board appoints a commissioner who serves as head of the State administrative staff. It recently selected Clifton Craig as commissioner. He is making an excellent start and has initiated a number of innovations and programs which are adding to the efficiency of the Department's service to the people. The State staff presently numbers about 400 professional, clerical and administrative personnel.

The eligibility of welfare recipients is the responsibility of the welfare departments in the 100 counties. The county staffs are hired by the county and supervised by the county welfare boards. The local department places people on welfare, takes them off when circumstances allow, and determines the amount of aid they receive. The local officials, of course, are better able to determine needs of the individuals in their county.

The welfare programs help to provide individuals with security. It does this with financial assistance, medical payments and social services. In the few minutes remaining, I would like to talk briefly about the programs in each of these categories.

In the area of financial assistance, there are three programs: old age assistance, aid for dependent children and aid to the permanently and totally disabled. All are programs long supported by Masons.

To qualify for old age assistance, a person must be over 65 years of age and unable to meet his essential requirements for food, shelter and clothing. There are today around 39,500 recipients of this assistance receiving an average monthly check of \$59.79. The average recipient is a 77 year old woman. In spite of a sizeable increase in the number in this age group, there has been about a 20 percent drop in the number of recipients since 1960.

The Welfare Department assists our elderly people in other ways, too. Boarding homes for the aged are licensed by the State Board and must meet acceptable standards of living. There are rehabilitative services offered to help older people retain or regain as much independence in living as possible. County departments work with other agencies in improving services to older citizens.

Perhaps the assistance with the largest potential for future return is the aid for dependent children program. Because of death, disability or desertion of parents, these children cannot adequately provide for themselves. They need financial assistance in order to grow into stable, well-adjusted citizens who can assume their own responsibilities. This program is indeed an investment in the future not only of the children, but also of the State.

There are now 108,145 dependent children and needy parents or caretakers receiving assistance under this program. The average monthly check is \$24.25. The number of children participating in the program continues to increase at about the rate of growth in population. The population in this age group has increased from 1.7 million in 1960 to 1.9 million today.

Social services to these dependent children include counseling by skilled caseworkers. The largest type of family which receives aid to dependent children is that in which the father has deserted. Counseling sometimes can save the home.

Aid to the permanently and totally disabled—think about the meaning of these words—is presently assisting 22,700 needy men and women in North Carolina between the ages of 18 and 65. The average monthly payment in this category is \$65.59 and the average recipient is a 55 year old. The welfare case load is increasing at about the same rate as the population.

A decade ago, these people did the best they could or received assistance from the county. Today welfare does provide assistance for food, clothing, rent and utilities, and other basic necessities. Recently the State Board of Public Welfare recommended the maximum for food and clothing be increased. The General Assembly will consider the Board's recommendations along with its other supplemental appropriations requests.

Medical payments is another way in which the Welfare Department helps provide assistance for our needy citizens. All persons eligible for public assistance programs may also receive medical assistance. The medically indigent may also qualify. The program provides for unlimited hospitalization, prescription drugs and dental service. Payments are made directly to the hospital, doctor, dentist or pharmacist and not to the recipient. Medical aid totaled \$18 million during the 1965-66 fiscal year.

I have mentioned some of the social services the department provides for the elderly and the dependent children. Other services include arrangements for adoptions, special care for children, work with juvenile delinquents, psychological services, homemaker services, jail inspection, licensing of fund solicitation, surplus commodities distribution and food stamps, and disability determination.

There are many citizens in North Carolina today who have peace of mind because of our welfare programs. Many individuals and families have been protected from social disaster and have been helped to

regain economic and social self-sufficiency. Our State has long been considered one of the most progressive in the field of public welfare and has received national recognition for many of its programs.

Our State Department and the county departments are doing an excellent job in providing aid for needy citizens. Their programs are designed to reduce and prevent dependency. They offer a means whereby citizens can help themselves or know that somebody cares enough to help them. Our welfare workers and the State and local boards are providing a great service for the people of North Carolina. I commend them for it.

In closing, however, I would emphasize that the welfare program does not claim to fulfill all of the needs of all of the people who need help. It does all that it can within prescribed limits. There is still a very big and very important role to be played in helping others by the Masons and other similar organizations. I know you are aware of your opportunities to help others help themselves, and I commend you for it.

The individual in need—whether old and alone, young and deserted, or sick and in pain—needs much more than a monthly check. He needs encouragement. He needs to know that others care about what happens to him, that others are praying in his behalf. The struggle to regain a rightful place in society is much easier when someone cares enough to help you along the way. This is where you can be of special assistance to someone in need.

Our welfare program is only helping to provide the means for a better and more useful life for needy men, women and children in North Carolina. It needs your interest and your assistance in getting the job done. Your obligations today are no less than in days gone by. I urge you to become familiar with the program in your county. I believe you will be pleased with the efforts under way there to help the needy, and I am sure the people within the local department would appreciate your interest. But more important, you will be discharging a duty long imposed upon Masons—to help your fellow man who is in distress.

RECEPTION OF DISTINGUISHED GUESTS

The following distinguished guests were conducted by the Grand Marshal; presented by the Past Grand Master named; welcomed by the Grand Master; escorted to the East; and accorded the Private Grand Honors:

VIRGINIA: R. W. Jesse A. White, Deputy Grand Master; R. W. Julian C. Roden, Senior Grand Warden; M. W. Archer B. Gay, Past Grand Master, Grand Secretary; M. W. Walter A. Porter, Past Grand Master, by M. W. William J. Bundy, P.G.M.

MARYLAND: M. W. W. Norman Penn, Grand Master; M. W. Harry O. Schroeder, Past Grand Master; M. W. John H. Hessey, Past Grand Master, President of GWMNMA; M. W. Martin H. Kinsinger, Past Grand Master, by M. W. William H. White, P.G.M.

KENTUCKY: M. W. Davie J. Smith, Grand Master, by M. W. Edwin T. Howard, P.G.M.

DELAWARE: M. W. R. Franklin Gordy, Grand Master, M. W. James B. Kilvington, Past Grand Master, Grand Secretary, by M. W. Sam A. Hennis, Jr., P.G.M.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA: R. W. William P. Jacobs, Jr., Deputy Grand Master, by M. W. W. Edward Burrier, P.G.M.

OHIO: R. W. Robert A. Hinshaw, Senior Grand Warden, by M. W. J. Giles Hudson, P.G.M.

INDIANA: R. W. Robert M. Seibel, Senior Grand Warden; M. W. Don Burton, Past Grand Master, by M. W. G. Dudley Humphrey, P.G.M.

TENNESSEE: M. W. D. Porter Henegar, Grand Master; M. W. W. Phelan Douglas, Past Grand Master, Grand Secretary, by M. W. Charles C. Ricker, P.G.M.

MAINE: M. W. Raymond M. Rideout, Past Grand Master, by M. W. Robert L. Pugh, P.G.M.

IOWA: R. W. Ralph E. Whipple, Grand Secretary, by M. W. Charles A. Harris, P.G.M., Grand Secretary.

WEST VIRGINIA: M. W. Fred Keeler, Grand Master, by M. W. Maxwell E. Hoffman, P.G.M.

GRAND YORK RITE BODIES OF NORTH CAROLINA: M. E. Tam L. Shumaker, Grand High Priest, Grand Chapter, R.A.M.; M. I. James O. Thornton, Grand Master, Grand Council, R. & S. M.; R. E. Robert L. Hall, Grand Commander, Grand Commandery, K. T.; R. E. Charles C. Ricker, Past Grand Commander, Grand Secretary-Recorder, Grand York Rite Bodies, by M. W. Sam A. Hennis, Jr., P.G.M.

POTENTATES AND RECORDERS, A.A.O.N.M.S., OF NORTH CAROLINA: Ill. William M. Poteat, Potentate of Oasis Temple; Ill. Arthur T. Moore, Potentate of Sudan Temple; Noble Julian W. Helms, Recorder of Oasis Temple; Noble Nelson B. Banks, Recorder of Sudan Temple, by M. W. William J. Bundy, P.G.M.

RECEPTION OF PAST GRAND MASTERS

The Past Grand Masters of Masons in North Carolina were presented by the Grand Marshal, welcomed by the Grand Master, escorted to the East, and accorded the Private Grand Honors.

GRAND LODGE OFFICERS PRESENT

M. W. Arnold J. Koonce, Sr.† (716)	-----	Grand Master
R. W. Alfred A. Kafer, Jr.† (3)	-----	Deputy Grand Master
R. W. Robert N. Bass, Jr.† (97)	-----	Senior Grand Warden
R. W. William A. Hook†, C. L. (84)	-----	Junior Grand Warden
M. W. James W. Brewer* (708)	-----	Grand Treasurer
M. W. Charles A. Harris* (113)	-----	Grand Secretary
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Dr. Maxwell E. Hoffman* (118)	1948
Edwin T. Howard* (344)	1953
J. Giles Hudson* (576)	1936
G. Dudley Humphrey* (1)	1964
Robert L. Pugh* (568)	1955
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Harvey W. Smith* (109)	1960
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10 William B. Belloist	(1)
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14 Nelson W. Newton, †, C.L.	(206)
15 Zeb B. Hill, Jr., †	(84)
16 William D. Edwards	(112)
17 Allen W. Harrell	(712)
18 Silas D. Fuller	(230)
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30 E. M. Pendergraph, C.L.	(409)
31 Posey L. Bryant	(352)
32 Otis L. Harrison	(412)
33 Jerry T. DePriest	(136)
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46 A. Crouse Jones	(434)
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- 134 Mocksville (46)—Mocksville
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- 136 Leaksville (33)—Leaksville
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- 210 Eno (31)—Durham
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- 229 Henderson (21)—Henderson
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- 237 Mystic Tie (52)—Marion
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- 240 Wiccacon (2)—Harrellsville
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- 243 Grifton (5)—Grifton
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- 244 Monroe (27)—Monroe
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- 248 Catawba (44)—Newton
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- 249 Pythagoras (10)—Southport
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- 253 Lee (45)—Taylorsville
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- 258 Fuquay (24)—Fuquay Varina
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- 259 Waynesville (56)—Waynesville
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- 261 Excelsior (40)—Charlotte
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- 262 Hibitten (50)—Lenoir
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- 267 Dunn's Rock (55)—Brevard
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- 272 Bingham (30)—Mebane
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- 283 Eureka (37)—China Grove
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- 284 Greenville (5)—Greenville
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- 232 French Board (53)—Marshall
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- 293 Vance (53)—Stocksville
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- 301 Clay (58)—Hayesville
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- 304 Pleasant Hill (6)—Pink Hill
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- 328 Mattamuskeett (3)—Englehard
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Alan Alexander Taylor, M. and Proxy for S.W.; Edward Lawrence Braswell, J.W.
- 447 Enfield (20)—Enfield
J. D. Hines, M.; Dan Moss, S.W.; C. J. Spears, J.W.
- 454 Elkin (47)—Elkin
Delmas Blevins, Proxy for S.W.; I. B. Hopkins, Proxy for J.W.
- 461 Matthews (39)—Matthews
M. L. Pigg, M.; James B. McLaughlin, Proxy for S.W.; T. H. Morris, Proxy for J.W.
- 462 South Fork (41)—Cramerton
James Floyd Hill, Proxy for M., and S.W.; Anderson Oscar Fletcher, Proxy for J.W.
- 463 Currituck (1)—Coinjock
Ernest J. Brickhouse, M., and Proxy for S.W.; Stanley A. Watkins, J.W.
- 472 Sonoma (56)—Canton
Harley V. Mann, Jr., Proxy for M., S.W. and J.W.
- 473 Lexington (36)—Lexington
Frederick T. Bickel, M.; Proxy for S.W. and J.W.
- 474 St. Pauls (12)—St. Pauls
John R. Walker, M.; Emmett Robinson, S.W.; Stedman Williford, Proxy for J.W.
- 475 Grimesland (5)—Grimesland
James Albert Holt, M., and Proxy for S.W. and J.W.

- 479 Rainbow (7)—Arapahoe
George R. Harper, Jr., M.; Jack Buck, S.W.; Joseph Buck, J.W.
- 482 Saluda (55)—Saluda
Robert V. Thompson, M.; John Coates, Jr., Proxy for S.W. and J.W.
- 483 Traphill (48)—Traphill
Fred Ray Holbrook, M.; Claude Billings, Proxy for S.W.; John Wesley Bryan, Sr., Proxy for J.W.
- 484 Southern Pines (26)—Southern Pines
Garland Prince Daughtry, M.; Stanley T. Dunn, Proxy for S.W.; Robert J. Snipes, Proxy for J.W.
- 486 Lawndale (43)—Lawndale
William F. Sweezy, M., and Proxy for S.W. and J.W.
- 488 Rich Square (19)—Rich Square
William Futrell, Proxy for M., S.W. and J.W.
- 489 Linville (51)—Newland
Harold Lee Henson, M., and Proxy for S.W. and J.W.
- 491 Hominy (54)—Candler
Frank Foster Davidson, Sr., S.W.; Cater W. Holcombe, Proxy for J.W.
- 492 Thomas M. Holt (30)—Graham
John F. Fricks, Sr., M.; Jerry Alexander Holt, S.W.; Daniel W. McKeel, J.W.
- 493 Pilot (47)—Pilot Mountain
Akers Hall, M., and Proxy for J.W.; Rufus Cooke, S.W.
- 495 Rockingham (26)—Rockingham
James R. McLester, M.; Billy B. Stilwell, J.W.
- 496 Mooresville (45)—Mooresville
William E. Green, M.; William M. Blackwelder, S.W.; Houston L. Johnston, J.W.
- 497 Royal Hart (20)—Littleton
Macon Douglas Reid, M.; Sol Bracey Bobbitt, S.W.; Whit Neville, Jr., Proxy for J.W.
- 499 Creedmoor (32)—Creedmoor
Ben W. Bullock, M.
- 500 Raleigh (23)—Raleigh
Holly Robson Britt, M.; Robert Henry Williams, S.W.; James Elisha Edwards, J.W.
- 542 Corinthian (34)—Greensboro
G. C. West, M.; P. L. Wade, S.W.; C. D. Wade, J.W.
- 543 Spencer (37)—Spencer
Arthur R. Gibbs, M.; L. E. Burch, Proxy for S.W.; J. S. Upton, Proxy for J.W.
- 544 Mount Holly (41)—Mount Holly
W. C. Hipp, Proxy for M.; C. A. Taylor, Proxy for S.W.; R. E. Rhyne, Proxy for J.W.
- 550 Roman Eagle (26)—Aberdeen
Richard Davis, M.; Carlton Lee Cole, S.W.; T. Lloyd Harris, J.W.
- 551 Glenville (57)—Glenville
J. Q. Hedden, M.; W. A. Berry, J.W., and Proxy for S.W.
- 552 Revolution (34)—Greensboro
James A. Morton, M.; Rudolph Wood, Proxy for S.W.; William E. King, Jr., J.W.
- 555 Elise (25)—Robbins
Joseph Frank Kennedy, M., and Proxy for S.W. and J.W.
- 556 Neil S. Stewart (13)—Erwin
Joseph T. Johnson, M., and Proxy for S.W. and J.W.
- 558 Ararat (47)—Ararat
C. H. Hill, Proxy for M., S.W. and J.W.

- 561 Swannanoa (54)—Buncombe
George W. Frink, S.W. and Proxy for M.; David C. White, J.W.
- 563 Tabor (11)—Tabor City
W. Clifton Sarvis, M.
- 564 Richlands (8)—Richlands
Bonner H. Jones, M.; I. J. Graves, Proxy for S.W.
- 565 Wendell (22)—Wendell
Jack Sidney Hatley, M., and Proxy for S.W. and J.W.
- 568 Doric (7)—New Bern
William R. Waters, M.; Lee Roy Thomas, Jr., S.W.; Max E. Bullard, J.W.
- 573 Mount Pleasant (17)—Bailey
James William Joines, M.; Edwin Ralph Church, S.W.; Billy Joe Huffman, J.W.
- 576 Andrew Jackson (37)—Salisbury
Earl R. Curran, M.; Rufus K. Cohen, S.W.; Charles T. Shores, J.W.
- 578 Meadow Branch (27)—Salisbury
Charles Eugene Williams, M.
- 579 Casar (43)—Casar
Thomas Gene Turner, Jr., M.; Buford F. Botts, S.W.
- 583 Ionic (7)—Cove City
Joseph C. Parker, Proxy for M.; William R. Newell, Proxy for S.W.
- 584 Apex (24)—Apex
Eddie P. Stiles, S.W., and Proxy for M. and J.W.
- 585 Roseboro (14)—Roseboro
George Allen Pope, Proxy for M.; Harvey Tyndall, Proxy for J.W.
- 592 Maiden (44)—Maiden
Donald R. Rome, M., and Proxy for S.W. and J.W.
- 593 Stony Point (45)—Stony Point
Artie Ellis Renyolds, Proxy for M., and J.W. Elmer Franklin Saums, S.W.
- 594 Ashe (49)—West Jefferson
C. Max Payne, M.
- 595 Wallace (9)—Wallace
Eugene Piercy, M., and Proxy for J.W.; Charles Dewitt McGowan, S.W.
- 598 Cranberry (51)—Elk Park
Leroy Riddle, M., and Proxy for S.W. and J.W.
- 602 Queen City (18)—Rocky Mount
Woodrow W. Drake, M.; Williams E. Reese, S.W.; Jacob Arnold, J.W.
- 605 Jeff L. Nelson (55)—Tryon
J. D. Edwards, Proxy for M.; Harold Nessmith, Proxy for J.W.
- 606 Riverside (44)—Catawba
Festus Mason Alexander, M.; Charles G. Abernathy, Proxy for S.W.; Joe Phillip Spencer, J.W.
- 607 Chadbourn (11)—Chadbourn
Arthur W. Nance, Jr., M.; J. Edward Bullard, S.W.; Leo Mercer, J.W.
- 609 Zebulon (22)—Zebulon
Willie Luther Bullock, M.; Billy Gay Hinton, S.W.
- 612 Atkinson (10)—Atkinson
Herbert H. Pate, M. and Proxy for S.W. and J.W.
- 613 Home (16)—Fremont
Jesse M. Bogue, M., and Proxy for S.W. and J.W.
- 616 Round Peak (47)—Mt. Airy
Virgil T. Holder, M.; Russell L. Haynes, S.W.
- 618 Union (38)—Midland
Thomas B. Hathcock, M.; George E. Long, S.W.; J. C. Britt, J.W.

- 624 John H. Mills (21)—Epsom
Richard T. Renn, Proxy for M., S.W., and J.W.
- 626 Cannon Memorial (38)—Kannapolis
Ira S. Earwood, M.; Johnny E. Nicholson, S.W.; J. Sinclair McClannnon, J.W.
- 627 Belmont (41)—Belmont
Frank Leroy Pierce, M.; Joseph F. Reep, Jr., J.W.
- 629 Walnut Cove (33)—Walnut Cove
Robert F. Alley, J.W. and Proxy for M.; J. R. J. Jones, Proxy for S.W.
- 630 Francis S. Packard (21)—Norlina
Joseph O. Egerton, Proxy for M. and J.W.
- 634 Goldsboro (16)—Goldsboro
Clarence W. Gwaltney, M.; Robert E. Hill, S.W.; Marvin Holiday, J.W.
- 637 Yadkin Falls (28)—Badin
Robert L. Webster, M.; Robert H. Hardister, S.W.
- 643 Proctorville (12)—Proctorville
Henry H. Atkinson, Proxy for M.; S.W. and J.W.
- 646 Bladen (11)—Elizabethtown
Earl Storms, M.; Gleen M. Newton, S.W.; R. D. Love, J.W.
- 650 John A. Nichols (54)—Asheville
Cornelius Leach, Proxy for M., S.W. and J.W.
- 654 Elberta (26)—West End
Willard T. McFayden, M.; W. Kemper Fitch, Jr., S.W.; Larry L. Upole, J.W.
- 656 Guilford (34)—Greensboro
Horace T. Davis, M.; William S. Gallimore, Jr., Proxy for S.W.; Allen M. Stone, J.W.
- 657 Keller Memorial (37)—Rockwell
John William Puckett, M.; F. G. Misenheimer, Proxy for S.W.; C. R. Rhinehart, Proxy for J.W.
- 658 Beaulaville (9)—Beaulaville
J. Macon Brown, Proxy for M.; Lawton Baker, S.W.; Amos Waller Gresham, Proxy for J.W.
- 663 Black Mountain (54)—Black Mountain
James W. Owen, M.; and Proxy for J.W.; E. R. Buchanan, Proxy for S.W.
- 664 Garland (14)—Garland
Roscoe Edwards, M.; W. Ray Carter, S.W.; Charles T. Cashwell, J.W.
- 665 West Asheville (54)—Asheville
Buck Edwin Gaston, M.; Frank Burl Wood, Jr., S.W.; William S. Gray, Proxy for J.W.
- 667 Fort Bragg (13)—Gastonia
Benjamin F. Darden, M.; Billy Wilkins, S.W.; Gorge W. Smith, J.W.
- 668 Holland Memorial (42)—Gastonia
Thomas A. Dixon, M.; John D. Howe, S.W.
- 669 Kernersville (35)—Kernersville
Richard L. Gentry, M.; Gilbert G. Gordon, Proxy for J.W.
- 672 Robbinsville (58)—Robbinsville
Burl L. Orr, M., and Proxy for S.W. and J.W.
- 673 Spindale (52)—Spindale
Robert L. Atchley, M.; Harry B. Goforth, Jr., S.W.
- 674 Acacia (36)—High Point
Bruce Spainhour, M., and Proxy for S.W.
- 675 Washington (4)—Washington
Edward Ray Edwards, M., and Proxy for S.W.; Daden H. Wolfe, Jr., J.W.

- 676 Temple (40)—Charlotte
William C. Parlier, M.; Warren Otis Drye, S.W.; Laurel Ben Holland, J.W.
- 677 Warsaw (9)—Warsaw
James T. Lane, S.W., and Proxy for M. and J.W.
- 678 Providence (3)—Columbia
Rowland Gay Riddick, M., and Proxy for S.W.; C.W. Davenport, Proxy for J.W.
- 679 Creasy Proctor (13)—Fayetteville
John Catlett Bruffey, M.; James H. Horne, Proxy for S.W.; Morton T. Fleishman, Proxy for J.W.
- 680 Semper Fidelis (8)—Jacksonville
John DuVal Grant, M.; Eugene G. Brown, Sr., S.W.; George L. Shaffer, Proxy for J.W.
- 681 Piedmont (36)—High Point
William Clyde Shaw, M., and Proxy for S.W. and J.W.
- 684 Ahoskie (2)—Ahoskie
George E. Wynn, M., and Proxy for S.W.; C. L. Willoughby, Proxy for J.W.
- 685 Pioneer (35)—Winston-Salem
Edward E. Fry, Proxy for M., S.W. and J.W.
- 686 Angier (24)—Angier
Orville P. Young, M.; G. S. Young, Proxy for S.W.; James Carson Carter, J.W.
- 687 Fellowship (31)—Durham
J. Ray Rex, Proxy for M.; Milton Mearl Wethington, S.W.; William H. McNeill, Proxy for J.W.
- 688 Cherry Point (50)—Havelock
Donald Lee Koonitz, M.; Norwood Ray Sanders, Proxy for S.W.; James Arline Muse, J.W.
- 689 Scotland Neck (20)—Scotland Neck
W. T. Partin, M., and Proxy for S.W.; C. A. Elks, Proxy for J.W.
- 690 Mt. Moriah (45)—Statesville
Fred W. Lowery, M.; P. O. Holder, Proxy for J.W.
- 691 Rentro (47)—Mt. Airy
E. V. Marion, M. and Proxy for S.W.; W. L. Boyles, Proxy for J.W.
- 692 East Gate (40)—Charlotte
George Howard Jones, M.; William Nathan Nance, S.W.; Joseph Blair McConnell, J.W.
- 693 Charles M. Setzer (40)—Charlotte
O. Hal Hamby, Proxy for M., and S.W.; C. W. Smith, Proxy for J.W.
- 694 Gate City (34)—Greensboro
William D. Ray, Jr., M., Edwin L. Vaughn, S.W.; Ernest Ferrara, J.W.
- 695 Allen-Graham (38)—Kannapolis
George W. Hastings, Proxy for M.; Venson Alvin Presson, S.W.; Carl Milton Kincaid, J.W.
- 696 Memorial (36)—Lexington
George Beecham Miller, M., and Proxy for S.W. and J.W.
- 697 Bulner (32)—Bulner
A. C. Harrison, M.; Ernest Wilder, S.W.; Norman B. Kelly, Proxy for J.W.
- 698 Cape Hatteras (3)—Buxton
Clarence B. Jennette, M.; Loy R. Whittle, S.W.; Cecil G. Ballance, Proxy for J.W.
- 699 Asheboro (29)—Asheboro
Elvin Lee Shaw, M.; William Willard Cox, S.W.
- 700 Friendship (40)—Charlotte
John Bruce Brown, M., and Proxy for J.W.; Edwin Richard Todd, S.W.

- 701 Garner (23)—Garner
William A. Langley, M.; Ernest J. Langley, S.W.; James L. Hopper, J.W.
- 702 Saint Andrew (40)—Charlotte
Grover C. Thompson, M., and Proxy for J.W.; William H. Stalljohann, S.W.
- 703 Albemarle (28)—Albemarle
Dan I. Miller, Proxy for M., S.W. and J.W.
- 704 King Solomon (42)—Gastonia
Earl V. Willis, M.; Edwin L. Becton, S.W.; Wade H. Putnam, Proxy for J.W.
- 705 Richard Caswell (6)—Kinston
James H. Million, M.; William R. Leggett, S.W.
- 706 Newport (50)—Newport
Robert P. Joyce, Jr., M.; Herbert W. Hoell, S.W.; Hughdie T. Garner, J.W.
- 707 Forsyth (35)—Winston-Salem
Elmer Lee Chapman, M.; Gale Dean Howell, S.W.; William Edward Cheshire, J.W.
- 708 Crown Point (5)—Greenville
Fred Harrison Rogers, M.; Richard Edward Squires, S.W.; Eber Elmer Moore, J.W.
- 709 Conover (44)—Conover
Billy Lee Price, M.; Hugh R. Sipe, Proxy for S.W.; William Murrell Martin, J.W.
- 710 Advance (46)—Advance
Charles E. Crawford, M., and Proxy for J.W.; Hubert L. Bailey, Proxy for S.W.
- 711 Piedmont (35)—Winston-Salem
James Clark Story, Jr., M.; Charles E. Ferguson, S.W.; William Lewis Livengood, Proxy for J.W.
- 712 Wilson (17)—Wilson
George F. Rice, M.; Karl H. Edwards, S.W.; Troy G. Matthews, J.W.
- 713 McLurd (41)—Stanly
James V. Rhyne, Jr., M.; William T. Cope, Proxy for S.W.
- 714 Liberty (29)—Liberty
Benjamin Ward, M.; Joseph W. Flynt, S.W.; J. T. Martin, Proxy for J.W.
- 715 Derita (39)—Derita
Thomas Trythall, M.; Lester R. Bledsoe, S.W.; Herman M. Ward, J.W.
- 716 Hiram (36)—High Point
Lyles H. Kearns, M.; Larry T. Harris, S.W.; Paul D. Snipes, J.W.
- 717 Burnsville (53)—Burnsville
John Russell Dale, M.; and Proxy for J.W.; Jerry William Holcombe, S.W.
- 718 Troy (28)—Troy
Jasper Moody Brown, M.; William Leon Shaw, S.W.; Herman Wesley Mattox, J.W.
- 719 Horse Creek (55)—Columbus
Fred Ruff, M.; C. H. Gibbs, Proxy for S.W.; John Robert West, J.W.
- 720 Cabarrus (38)—Concord
James Hayden Joyner, M.; Kenneth Bolan Cruse, S.W.; David Arch'e Moore, J.W.
- 722 King (35)—King
Robert G. Rierson, M.; Donald J. Burge, J.W.
- 723 Winton (2)—Winton
Edward L. Horton, M. and Proxy for S.W. and J.W.
- 724 Berne (7)—New Bern
Nelson B. Banks, Proxy for M.; Henry Thomas Davis, S.W.; William Clark, Proxy for J.W.
- 725 Grantham (7)—New Bern
John William Steen, M.; Reuben N. Rice, S.W.; John Alfred, J.W.
- 726 Keystone (40)—Charlotte
Joel Alexander Adams, M.; Lewis Scott Simon, Jr. S.W.; Bunn Tate Phillips, Jr., J.W.



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- 728 Meridian (40)—Charlotte
J. R. Litaker, Proxy for M.; George William Spittle, S.W.; Marshall E. Propst, Proxy for J.W.
- 729 Twin County (18)—Rocky Mount
James F. King, Jr., M.; M. J. Stokes, Proxy for S.W.; Odelle Gerald Searcy, J.W.
- 730 Stedman (13)—Sledman
Haywood B. Smith, Jr., M.; Robert Miller, S.W.; H. W. Bullard, Proxy for J.W.
- 731 John Huske Anderson (13)—Fayetteville
George W. Godwin, M.; E. W. Wetzels, Proxy for S.W.; Clifford C. Duell, J.W.
- 733 Stump Sound (8)—Sneads Ferry
Melvin M. Shepard, M.; Luther E. Earnett, Jr., Proxy for S.W.; Washington W. King, Proxy for J.W.
- 734 William Pitt (5)—Greenville
James C. Blythe, S.W., and Proxy for M.; Robert E. Fortenberry, J.W.
- 735 James B. Green (23)—Millbrook
Marion Eugene White, M.; Alexander Holder, Jr., S.W.; William David Moon, J.W.
- 736 New River (8)—Jacksonville
Maynard A. Dean, Proxy for M.; William S. Godfrey, S.W.; Eugene Southern, J.W.
- 737 Steele Creek (39)—R-4, Charlotte
Charles S. Hancock, Jr., M.; Robah A. Bulner, S.W.; Gilbert R. Cooper, Proxy for J.W.

REPORT OF THE GRAND MASTER

(Docket No. 1)

M. W. Brother Arnold J. Koonce, Sr., Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina, delivered the following report, which was referred to the Board of General Purposes.

(See Page 77 Docket No. 2 of these Proceedings for the distribution of this report).

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

BRETHREN:

In the same way and manner in which you have so graciously received me on so many occasions and showered upon me your hospitable fellowship and brotherly love, but more especially the high esteem and affection you have shown me as your Grand Master, I welcome you to this 180th Annual Communication. It is fitting and appropriate that we return to Raleigh, our capital city and the home of our beloved Grand Lodge.

We are honored to have with us distinguished guests from other Grand Jurisdictions. On behalf of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina, I welcome each and every one of you and express the hope that your visit with us will be pleasant and profitable and that you will carry back to your respective Jurisdictions the brotherly love and friendship of the Masons of North Carolina.

This has been a glorious year. The honor which you conferred upon me last April in Winston-Salem has afforded me an opportunity to meet and greet the brethren at all levels over this Grand Jurisdiction. This opportunity was a succession of "Mountain Top" experiences, each one appearing greater than the last, finally reaching a crescendo in the three Rally Day Meetings which we conducted this year. Whatever has been accomplished this year (and I feel that symbolic Masonry is again asserting itself) to you, my brethren at the Blue Lodge level, belong the thanks.

Pursuant to the provisions of THE CODE I now, before so great a cloud of witnesses, give a report of my stewardship, setting forth all of my acts as Grand Master during the year, within this Grand Jurisdiction. I will recommend such legislation and action as I deem necessary.

OUR FRATERNAL DEAD

During the past year the working tools of life have slipped from the hands of 1,173 of our brethren. A few short months ago they were by our side. Now for these the "shadows have lengthened and the evening has come; the busy world is hushed and the fever of life is over, and their work is done."

It is with a sense of real personal loss that I report the passing last July of Most Worshipful Brother John Wallace Winborne, our oldest living Past Grand Master in point of service, until his death on July 9, 1966. As it was not possible for me to attend the funeral, I asked the Grand Secretary to represent the Grand Lodge in my place.

Suitable memorials will be rendered by our Committee on Necrology for all of our departed brethren.

Brethren, I ask that you please stand a moment in silent prayer in memory of these stalwart Masons.

 "Just gone ahead to kindle the lights
 For us on the long, long trail.
To guide our way at the close of day
 To the country beyond the veil.
Where old friends meet and lovingly greet
 Each other when tasks are done,
It's just for the day they're gone away—
 We'll follow them one by one."

May the Great Architect, of the Universe grant them a safe lodging, a holy rest and peace at the last.

EMERGENT COMMUNICATIONS

We have held a total of eleven Emergent Communications during the past year—three for the purpose of laying the cornerstone for Masonic Temples, four for the purpose of dedicating new Temples, three for the purpose of constituting lodges and one for setting or placing a Commemorative Stone. The Grand Secretary's report will list these communications.

It has been a very pleasant experience to have had a part in the progress of the lodges that are starting on their building programs and in the others that have completed their buildings and now have had them dedicated.

LODGES CONSTITUTED

During this past year I have had the honor of constituting three new lodges which were granted charters by the Grand Lodge at our last Annual Communication in Winston-Salem, as follows:

James B. Green Lodge No. 735, Raleigh, N. C. April 22, 1966; New River Lodge No. 736, Jacksonville, N. C. April 23, 1966; Steele Creek Lodge No. 737, Route 4, Charlotte, N. C. April 26, 1966.

CORNERSTONES

I had the happy privilege of laying the cornerstone for the following new Temples:

Wayne Lodge No. 112, Goldsboro, N. C.—June 11, 1966.

Keller Memorial Lodge No. 657, Rockwell, N. C.—October 1, 1966.

Oxford Orphanage Dormitory, Oxford, N. C.—April 7, 1967.

I also had the pleasure of placing a Commemorative Stone for Farmington Lodge No. 265, April 8, 1967.

LODGES DEDICATED

I had the pleasure and privilege of dedicating the following Masonic Temples:

York Rite Temple, New Bern, N. C., November 8, 1966

West Asheville Lodge No. 665, West Asheville, N. C. November 11, 1966

Lee Lodge No. 253, Taylorsville, N. C., December 6, 1966

Wayne Lodge No. 112, Goldsboro, N. C., April 15, 1967

I congratulate this fine group of dedicated Masons for their magnificent achievement, and express to them my sincere pleasure in participating, with them, on these occasions.

ONE STORY LODGE BUILDINGS

Dispensations were granted to the following lodges to erect or to hold their meetings in one story buildings, it having been duly certified to me that these buildings would be made safe at all times from cowans and eavesdroppers:

Archer Lodge No. 165

Sonoma Lodge No. 472

Neill S. Stewart Lodge No. 556

DISPENSATIONS

I have granted a number of dispensations to lodges to elect officers to fill vacancies caused by death, resignation or for other causes, and I have also granted dispensations to lodges to hold meetings in places other than their regular meeting places.

A dispensation was granted to Hollis Lodge No. 535 to continue meeting in the town of Ellenboro until the Annual Commuication in April, 1967, or until this lodge could find a suitable meeting place nearer Hollis.

Dispensations were also granted to Cherokee Lodge No. 146 to meet in the Hall of Marble Springs Lodge No. 435 until this lodge could find a suitable meeting place in Murphy, and to hold meetings without a charter until they could secure a duplicate charter to replace the one destroyed by fire in January.

A dispensation was granted to LaFayette Lodge No. 83 to rebalot on the petition of a petitioner who had been rejected because of mistaken identity.

It was necessary to deny the request of several lodges for Special Dispensations which would have been in conflict with the provisions of THE CODE.

PHYSICAL DISABILITY

The matter of petitioners having some physical disability has given me much concern. I have been able to see some of these petitioners in person, and have asked either a Grand Lodge Officer or a District Deputy Grand Master, whichever was more convenient to the locality of the petitioner, to interview them and give me a report and recommendation. Consequently, I have had to turn down only three petitioners out of a total of twenty.

In approving the many petitioners with some form of physical disability, it is my belief that those who are already

members of the Craft are in agreement with my motives for so doing and I ask your sympathetic understanding of these decisions.

OFFICIAL OPINIONS

(Note: All Official Opinions approved. See Report of Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence on Page 129, Docket No. 42 of these Proceedings.)

Opinion No. 1

Reference is made to your letter of August 10, 1966, in which you requested an official ruling on the effective exemption date of per capita dues to the Grand Lodge on those Life Members qualifying under the new Regulation 87-01 of THE CODE as adopted at the Annual Communication in April, 1966.

The portion of this amendment to this Regulation which reads, "A lodge may also make a member a Life Member if he had qualified for either the 50-Year Award or the 60-Year Award, but the lodge shall be exempt from the payment of dues and assessments to the Grand Lodge on such Life Members," places the burden squarely on the lodge to officially make 50-Year and/or 60-Year members Life Members, if the lodge so desires, and to officially notify the Grand Secretary's office of such action.

After having carefully considered all aspects, implications and effects of this Regulation, I am of the opinion that the exemption to the lodges on 50-Year and 60-Year members who were or who have been officially made Life Members, and the Grand Secretary's office so notified, shall not become effective until January 1, 1967; therefore, per capita dues must be paid on all such above-mentioned brethren for the year 1966, and I so rule.

Opinion No. 2

The Grand Secretary received an inquiry from the Winston-Salem Scottish Rite Bodies in which they asked if it is a violation of THE CODE to place 32nd Degree Decals on the Automobiles of their members.

I have studied THE CODE concerning this matter and have discussed the inquiry with well-informed brethren, and have reached the conclusion that Regulations 97-44 and 97-45 specifically forbid the use of Masonic emblems on automobiles. It is my opinion that Regulation 97-48, which was called to our attention by the Winston-Salem Scottish Rite Bodies, would not apply in this case.

Therefore, it is my opinion that the use of Masonic emblems as they requested would be in direct violation of Regulations 97-44 and 97-45, and the request is therefore denied.

Opinion No. 3

My attention has been called to a circular letter over the signatures of the District Deputy Grand Matron and the District Deputy Grand Patron of the Fifteenth District of the Order of the Eastern

Star, bearing date of December 29, 1966, in which their "Special Project" or get-together, which they state will be called, "Getting to know you" proposed to raise money (presumably for the Masonic and Eastern Star Home) by offering prizes for the best decorated box, and the members to bid on their own boxes at an auction sale.

This matter has given me a great deal of concern, but after due deliberation and with a deep concern that we adhere strictly to THE CODE of our Grand Lodge, and a sincere hope that in so doing, brotherly love and friendship may abide, it is my opinion that the proposed meeting, to be held in Concord on January 31, 1967, is *not* in violation of THE CODE, and I so rule.

Opinion No. 4

At a meeting of the Board of General Purposes held in Raleigh on September 9, 1966, a committee which had been appointed in June to study proposals to change the Grand Master's apron and collar from royal blue to purple and to recommend a new metal collar for the Grand Master and metal collars also for the Grand Lodge Officers, filed its report. This committee recommended that the change in the Grand Master's apron and collar be made as quickly as possible, with the understanding that the Grand Master would issue an official opinion to permit this change. After considerable discussion, it appeared to be the sentiment of the Board that the change could be implemented by an official opinion from the Grand Master. The Board voted the recommendation of the committee.

Subsequently, I made a very close and critical study of the language used in Regulation 95-31 of THE CODE, which reads as follows: "The aprons of the officers of the Grand Lodge and Past Grand Masters may be made of lambskin, leather, or cloth with the tiecords, lining, borders, and tabs of royal blue; apron, tabs and flap trimmed with gold bullion, etc."

In my mind the problem seemed to concern itself with the interpretation of the verbal phrase, "may be made." I concluded that this phrase refers to the three types of material of which the apron may be made, namely, "lambskin, leather, or cloth." And therefore, according to the language of the regulation, it is interpreted that the tiecords, the lining, and the borders and tabs of the apron *must be of royal blue*.

This being true, I instructed the Grand Secretary to cancel the order for the change in the Grand Master's apron until an appropriate resolution could be prepared for presentation at the next Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge amending THE CODE.

Opinion No. 5

On August 30, 1966, Mr. Harold E. Allen, Vice-President of Allen Studios Division, Allen Photographic Corporation wrote me requesting that I recognize the appeal and desirability of "A Memory Album and Officers' Composite" to Worshipful Masters and Subordinate lodges. The Allen Studios Division requested the Grand Lodge to authorize it to contact the masters and secretaries of all subordinate lodges and to secure from them a list of the membership

of their respective lodges in order for photographs to be made of all of the officers and members of a subordinate lodge and placed in an Album. The Album would thereafter be available to any interested party at a price not yet determined.

At the meeting of the Board of General Purposes held September 9, 1966, this matter was discussed and Most Worshipful Brother Robert L. Pugh requested that I give an official opinion on this subject.

The Grand Lodge, or the subordinate lodge, would not have complete charge and control of the composition, publication and distribution of such an Album which in my opinion is a commercial enterprise of Allen Studios Division, and is not in this case a Masonic purpose. I, therefore, refuse to authorize the program proposed by Allen Studios Division.

Opinion No. 6

With reference to your letter of August 26th, with which you enclosed a newspaper clipping mailed to you from Greensboro on August 25th, the said clipping listing the names of candidates to be raised in Greensboro Lodge No. 76 on August 25th, this publication of names was a flagrant violation of Regulation 49-03 (6) of THE CODE, for which the Master of this lodge should be held responsible.

It is my belief, however, that this publication of names of candidates was the result of thoughtlessness or ignorance of THE CODE on the part of whoever placed this notice in the newspaper, but in spite of this blunder I do not feel inclined at this time to penalize this lodge more than to mildly reprimand this Master for allowing the article to be published.

It is therefore ORDERED, that copies of this letter be sent to the Master and the Secretary of Greensboro Lodge No. 76, with my instructions that it be read at the next stated communication of the said lodge and be made a part of the minutes of that meeting, that the brethren might avoid repeating this violation. In addition, you should write a letter to all the the other lodges in the 34th Masonic District, calling their attention to the fact that Regulation 49-03 (6) has been violated by a lodge in that District, and cautioning them to refrain for all time from publishing the names of candidates for any degree.

Opinion No. 7

I have your letter of August 8, 1966, in which you advise that under date of April 14, 1966, Fair Bluff Lodge No. 190 read an Application for Affiliation from Brother David Leo Nance, to which application was attached a Certificate of Good Standing from Zion Lodge No. 81 dated April 11, 1966, and that Fair Bluff Lodge No. 190 then proceeded to elect Brother Nance to membership on the same night the application was read in the lodge, without complying in any respect with the provisions of Regulations 76-01, 83-11 and 83-14, and in violation of Regulation 83-15.

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I note your advice that the application has now been duly processed through your office, and I therefore ORDER a rebalot on this application at the next stated communication of Fair Bluff Lodge No. 190 following receipt of this order.

The records of your office and those of Fair Bluff Lodge No. 190 should be made to conform to this opinion.

Opinion No. 8

I have your advice regarding the action taken in Wilson Lodge No. 226 at a stated communication on June 11, 1966, at which time they received a request for initiation after six months of Mr. Alan Reece Williams, who had been elected to receive the degrees in that lodge on May 25, 1963 but had not been initiated, and note that a ballot was taken on the same day the application for advancement was received; he was elected and was also initiated an Entered Apprentice, all on the same date.

This action was highly irregular and is in violation of Regulation 77-02 of THE CODE. Brother Williams is, however, now an Entered Apprentice, and the degree cannot be taken from him. He is not responsible for this violation and his status as an Entered Apprentice cannot for this reason be jeopardized.

It is, therefore, ORDERED that the status of Brother Williams is in all respects that of an Entered Apprentice in Wilson Lodge No. 226 without the necessity of healing. He should not be held in default unless he waits more than six months after the date of this ORDER before presenting himself for examination in the catechism of the Entered Apprentice Degree, and the conferring of the Fellow Craft Degree.

The Master and Secretary of Wilson Lodge No. 226 are hereby severely reprimanded for their failure to observe requirements governing the conditions obtained in this particular case, and this ORDER must be read at the first stated communication of Wilson Lodge No. 226 following its receipt and entered in the minutes of that communication.

Opinion No. 9

I have before me the file in the matter of the illegal exclusions for non payment of dues by Louisburg Lodge No. 413 of Brothers Frank A. Roth and C. H. Banks, and note your advice that the exclusions were illegal for the reason that Sunday, April 1, 1934, was not the date of a stated communication of Louisburg Lodge No. 413.

In the case of Brother Banks, I am allowing the claim of the lodge that Regulation 86-06 of THE CODE, which refers specifically to a deceased person, is applicable and that the record cannot now be made to show that he was restored after death. Brother Banks died on October 29, 1952, and the lodge is not responsible for any per capita dues on him because of the illegal exclusion, as provided in Regulation 86-06, but it is regrettable that this gross injustice to him was not discovered until after he had passed away.

In the case of Brother Roth, the records show that he was restored in November, 1945, and that in addition to the dues for two

years which he paid at the time of restoration, he also sent the lodge a check for \$50.00 in payment of dues for the eleven years which the lodge showed he was non affiliated.

It is therefore ORDERED, that Louisburg Lodge No. 413 pay per capita dues in the amount of \$27.50 for the eleven years, 1934 through 1944, which the lodge records showed he was non affiliated, and that because of the fact that the exclusion was illegal, this black mark of exclusion must be erased from the records.

You will issue such directives as may be necessary in this matter, and the Secretary of Louisburg Lodge No. 413 is instructed to make such marginal notations in the minutes of the stated communication nearest to the date of April 1, 1934, and in the minutes of the next stated communication following receipt of this Order, as are necessary to show that the exclusions were illegal and that the mark against Brother Roth has been erased.

Opinion No. 10

I have reviewed the matter of the rejection of Mr. J. F. A. by Neil S. Stewart Lodge No. 556 as reported in your letter of October 25, 1966, which ballot took place on October 11, 1966, without the petition for the degrees having been certified by your office.

This ballot was ILLEGAL and VOID because it is a violation of Regulations 76-01 and 73-13 of THE CODE which makes it mandatory for a petition to bear the certification of the Grand Secretary's office before a ballot can be taken.

The Grand Master is empowered to ORDER another ballot in such cases; therefore, by copy of this letter to the Masters and the Secretary of Neil S. Stewart Lodge No. 556, a dispensation is hereby granted to this lodge to rebalot on this petition at the stated communication on November 22, 1966, provided the petition has now been certified, and provided further, that the provisions of Regulation 78-01, which provides for the proper notification of the members of the lodge regarding the rebalot, have been complied with.

Opinion No. 11

I have your letter of November 1, 1966, with which you enclosed a letter from the Master of Aulander Lodge No. 516 outlining plans for a proposed Turkey Shoot to be conducted by that lodge for the benefit of the Oxford Orphanage and the Masonic and Eastern Star Home, and note your request for a ruling in this matter.

It is my opinion that such an affair would be in direct violation of Regulations 49-03 (11) and 97-02 (31) of THE CODE, in that the plans as outlined by this Master include the awarding of door prizes whereby the individuals participating may be able through the element of chance or skill, or a combination of the two, to receive a greater intrinsic value than they pay.

It is therefore ORDERED, that you notify the Master of Aulander Lodge No. 516 that his lodge is hereby forbidden to hold or participate in a Turkey Shoot such as that outlined in his letter of October 31, 1966.

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Opinion No. 12

With reference to your advice that Widow's Son Lodge No. 519 balloted on the petition for the degrees of Mr. Mason Long Harp without first submitting the petition to your office for certification, please be advised that this ballot was in violation of Regulations 73-13 and 76-01 of THE CODE and is, therefore, ILLEGAL and VOID.

In order to fully comply with the above-mentioned regulations, I hereby authorize the Grand Secretary to make the necessary record of the subject petition and to place thereon his Certificate, with a proper notation to explain the delay in making it. Upon receipt of the properly Certified Petition, the lodge shall again submit it to the secret ballot at the stated communication on January 26, 1967, in the same manner as if no previous ballot had been taken thereon.

This letter must be read at the stated communication of Widow's Son Lodge No. 519 on January 26, 1967, and the information therein entered in the minutes of that stated communication. A proper notation must be made on the margin of the minutes of the stated communication on December 22, 1966, at which time the first ballot was taken, referring to this opinion and the date it is recorded in the minutes.

Opinion No. 13

I have your advice of the election to receive the degrees of Mr. Bobby Joe Lucas by Widow's Son Lodge No. 519 on December 22, 1966, without the petition having been certified by the Grand Secretary as provided in Regulations 73-13 and 76-01 of THE CODE.

These regulations declare a ballot to be illegal and void if the petition has not been certified by the Grand Secretary before the ballot is taken; therefore in order to fully comply with Regulation 76-01, I hereby authorize the Grand Secretary to make the necessary records of the subject petition, and place thereon his Certificate, with a proper notation to explain the delay in making it. Upon receipt of the properly certified petition, it shall be again submitted to a secret ballot in Widow's Son Lodge No. 519 at a stated communication on January 26, 1967 in the same manner as if no previous ballot had been taken thereon.

This letter must be read to the lodge at the stated communication on January 26, 1967, and the information thereon entered on the minutes of that meeting. Also, a proper notation must be made on the margin of the minutes for the stated communication of December 22, 1966, at which time the first ballot was taken, referring to this opinion and the date it is recorded in the minutes.

Opinion No. 14

Reference is made to a letter dated August 3, 1966 from the Secretary of Beulaville Lodge No. 658 in which he asks if it is out of order for Beulaville Lodge No. 658 to lend its moral support to the Pine Meadow Country Club, located near the town of Beulaville, with the understanding that the lodge will not be expected to make financial contribution to this project.

It is my opinion that the members of Beulaville Lodge No. 658, as individuals but not as a lodge, can lend their moral support to this project, and that because of the fact that support of any nature of the Pine Meadow Country Club is not a proper Masonic objective and is no part of Masonic work, I must rule that Beulaville Lodge No. 658 has no right or authority as a lodge to support this country club.

You are directed to send a copy of this letter to the Secretary of Beulaville Lodge No. 658, with instructions that it be read at the next stated communication of the lodge following its receipt, and that it be made a part of the minutes of that meeting.

Opinion No. 15

Widow's Son Lodge No. 519 read the petition for the degrees in Masonry of Mr. David Feild Thompson on October 13, 1966, and balloted on same on November 10, 1966, without having sent the said petition to the Grand Secretary's office for certification. The petitioner was rejected.

Since this lodge proceeded to ballot on this petition before it was received from the Grand Secretary properly certified, the ballot was in violation of Regulations 76-01 and 73-13 of THE CODE.

The Secretary of this lodge failed to report this matter to the Grand Secretary's office within the two months period as required in Regulation 78-01; therefore, I feel that the action of this lodge in rejecting this petitioner should not be disturbed, and I so rule.

I instructed the Grand Secretary to issue such directives as are necessary in this case, and I instructed the Secretary of Widow's Son Lodge No. 519 to read my letter of January 4, 1967, to the lodge at the next stated communication following its receipt in the hope that such flagrant violations of THE CODE will not be repeated by this lodge.

Opinion No. 16

Under date of January 13, 1967, I instructed the Grand Secretary to advise Pendleton Lodge No. 524 that the holding of a supper and dance as a benefit for the Oxford Orphanage, even if the said supper and dance were not held in the same building in which the lodge meets, would tend to discredit Masonry, and that I could not consent to the granting of such permission to this lodge to hold same.

ORDERS

Order No. 1

Pursuant to the recommendation of the Committee on Charters and Dispensations in the matter of territorial jurisdiction of Hollis Lodge No. 535 and Mooresboro Lodge No. 388, which recommendation was adopted by the Grand Lodge at the Annual Communication in Winston-Salem in April, 1966, I appointed a Special Committee composed of Brothers Berl M. Kahn, Chairman, William L. Mills, Jr., and Robert P. Dudley.

This committee with the Grand Master will meet with the brethren of the two lodges concerned in the removal of Hollis Lodge No. 535 from Hollis, North Carolina, to Ellenboro, North Carolina,

and attempt to reach a satisfactory agreement between the two lodges and make its report to the Grand Lodge at its next Annual Session to be held in Raleigh, North Carolina, on April 18-19, 1967.

Therefore, I hereby order Mooresboro Lodge No. 388 to hold an emergent communication on Monday, November 28, 1966 and Hollis Lodge No. 535 to hold an emergent communication on Tuesday, November 29, 1966, for the purpose of meeting with this committee to discuss and agree on a satisfactory settlement of this matter of the removal of Hollis Lodge No. 535 and the jurisdiction involved. Each lodge shall notify each of its members by first class mail of the said emergent communication and the purpose for which it has been called.

It is further ordered that Mooresboro Lodge No. 388 hold another Emergent Communication on Wednesday, November 30, 1966; the officers and members of Hollis Lodge No. 535 shall also attend this meeting; and a general discussion will be held between the members of the two lodges, looking toward a satisfactory agreement.

The above-named committee will make the report to the Grand Lodge.

Order No. 2

Blackmer Lodge No. 170 balloted on the petition for the degrees in Masonry of Mr. Fred (NMN) Rickman while the said petition was being held in the Grand Secretary's office UNCERTIFIED pending receipt of a waiver of jurisdiction.

The petition was read in the lodge on January 3, 1967, and the petitioner was elected by illegal ballot on February 7, 1967.

In order to fully comply with Regulations 73-13 and 76-01 of THE CODE, I ORDERED the Grand Secretary to make the necessary record of the subject petition and place thereon his Certificate, with a proper notation on the Certificate to explain the delay in making it, and I further ORDERED that the lodge, upon receipt of the properly certified petition, submit it again to the secret ballot at the stated communication to be held on March 7, 1967, in the same manner as if no previous ballot had been taken thereon.

OXFORD ORPHANAGE

It has been my privilege to be a member of the Board of Directors of Oxford Orphanage for four years. This year I have attended all of the meetings of the Board. Our Orphanage is truly a great Institution. Aside from the love of the Craft, I believe you brethren will agree that our love for Oxford Orphanage is at an all-time high. This year your voluntary offering for Oxford Orphanage was the greatest by many thousands of dollars. To those of you who labored so faithfully in this great effort, I commend you for the work you did.

On behalf of the Grand Lodge, I extend my appreciation to the Superintendent, his competent staff and to the Board of Directors, for their untiring efforts.

MASONIC AND EASTERN STAR HOME

This Institution is the only joint enterprise in which this Grand Lodge is engaged. It has been my privilege to serve on this Board for the past four years. The completion and occupancy of a new dining room, which is now to be air-conditioned, the completion and occupancy of a new dormitory wing, permitting us to receive a total of 130 or more guests, was all made possible by the awakening spirit of generosity on the part of the brethren in Masonry. This year this Institution received the largest offering from the Masons in the history of our Grand Lodge. I commend you for your generosity, your love and affection for our elderly brethren, their wives and their daughters. Again, I urge you to greater achievement in the support of this great Institution. The generosity of the Grand Lodge in more than doubling this year its donation, has enabled your Board to increase its facilities.

On behalf of the Grand Lodge, I extend my appreciation to the Superintendent, his competent staff, and to the Board of Directors, for their untiring efforts.

VISITATIONS

Upon invitation as Grand Master, I was privileged to attend many meetings within the State during my year as Grand Master. It has been my feeling that invitations within our own Grand Jurisdiction should take precedence over those from other sources, whenever possible. It is my pleasure to report some of the meetings attended, as follows:

Scottish Rite Bodies:

- Charlotte (2 meetings)
- New Bern (2 meetings)
- Raleigh (2 meetings)
- Greensboro
- Asheville

York Rite Bodies:

- Waynesville, Annual Meeting, Great Smokies Assembly of Cryptic Masons.

- Charlotte, Annual Meeting of Grand York Rite Bodies.

Sudan Temple Ceremonial, Wilson; Shrine Bowl Game, Charlotte; Red Cross of Constantine, Raleigh; General Nickerson Night, Jacksonville; Grand Chapter Order of the Eastern Star, Raleigh; Master Masons Degrees—3 Lodges; Installation of Officers—14 Lodges; Installation of Officers—Order of the Rainbow Girls, Cary; Ladies Night Programs—10; Lodge Anniversary Celebrations—7; Past Masters' Meetings—2; Church Services for Purpose of speaking—3, (1 Presbyterian—1 Reformed—1 Methodist); Taught 4 Sunday School

Classes in Churches other than my own; Attended Sunrise Service, Fayetteville; Attended Church Service with members of Order of DeMolay, holding their State Meeting in High Point; Attended Grand Master's Class, Order of DeMolay; Conducted a Mortgage-burning Service, Goldsboro; Held 10 planned Conferences and Committee Meetings; Was Honor Guest at three social affairs.

OUT-OF-STATE VISITATIONS

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- April—Grand Lodge of Florida. Most Worshipful W. Eli Hand.
 June—Grand Lodge of Montana. Most Worshipful Charles H. Pugh, Most Worshipful Charles A. Harris.
 July—Grand Lodge of Canada, Toronto, Province of Ontario. Most Worshipful Arnold J. Koonce, Worshipful Robert P. Dudley.
 August—Southeastern Masonic Conference, Tampa, Fla. Most Worshipful Arnold J. Koonce, Right Worshipful Robert N. Bass, Jr.
 August—189th Celebration of the Grand Lodge of Virginia, Williamsburg. Most Worshipful Arnold J. Koonce.
 November—Grand Lodge of Maryland, Baltimore. Most Worshipful Arnold J. Koonce.
 December—Grand Lodge of Texas. Right Worshipful Robert N. Bass, Jr.
 December—Grand Lodge of Massachusetts. Most Worshipful William J. Bundy.

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- February—Grand Lodge of Virginia, Richmond. Most Worshipful Arnold J. Koonce.
 February—Grand Lodge of Louisiana. Most Worshipful Harvey W. Smith.
 February—Grand Masters' Conference, Washington, D. C. Most Worshipful Arnold J. Koonce and Most Worshipful Brothers James W. Brewer, William J. Bundy, W. Edward Burrier, Sam A. Hennis, Jr., Robert L. Pugh, Charles C. Ricker, Harvey W. Smith; Also, Right Worshipful Brothers Robert N. Bass, Jr., William A. Hooks and Alfred A. Kafer Jr., and Worshipful Brothers Robert P. Dudley, Berl M. Kahn, William W. Mims, Jr., and Nathaniel C. Dean.
 March—Grand Lodge of Tennessee. Most Worshipful Charles C. Ricker, Most Worshipful Harvey W. Smith.

GRAND LODGE AWARDS

It was my privilege to present, personally in several instances, to brethren having 60 or more years' membership, the Diamond Jubilee Award. This beautiful and appropriate Emblem and Certificate was presented to eighteen of our brethren. In addition, there were one hundred twenty Veterans' Awards (50-Year Emblems and Certificates) presented and four hundred seventy-six Service Awards (25-Year Certificates and Pins) presented. It was my good pleasure to be present for the presentation of many of these Awards.

The Grand Secretary will list in his report the names of our venerable brethren who received the Diamond Jubilee Award.

INTERIM APPOINTMENTS

Because of the resignation of Most Worshipful Brother Watson N. Sherrod, Past Grand Master, member of the North Carolina Masonic Foundation, Inc., I appointed Worshipful Brother Henry L. Bridges to fill Brother Sherrod's term until the next Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge.

Due to the untimely death of our esteemed brother, Clarence B. Shulenberger, member of the Committee on Appeals, I appointed Worshipful Brother Hiram In Casebolt to fill this vacancy until the next Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge in April. Because of the resignation of Worshipful Brother Joseph T. Ingram, member of the Lodge Service Commission, I appointed Most Worshipful Brother E. B. Howard, Past Grand Master, to fill the appointment for the unexpired term.

As per the Resolution of the Grand Lodge, which was adopted at the last Annual Communication, I appointed the following brethren as Trustees of the Retirement Program for the term indicated apposite their names:

William A. Hooks (1 year)

R. Pete Dudley (2 years)

James W. Brewer (3 years)

GRAND REPRESENTATIVES

I have appointed several Representatives from the Grand Lodge of North Carolina near other Grand Lodges, having first received the nomination of the Grand Master of the Grand Lodge concerned in each instance. Commissions issued are as follows:

Michigan—Lloyd R. Fisher

South Dakota—Harold S. Bailey

Japan—Kenneth Lewis Goodwin

Luxembourg—Bernard Fromes

Norway—Camillo Lund-Baltzersen

Philippines—Desiderio Hebron

York Grand Lodge of Mexico—Louis M. Trejo

THE BOARD OF PUBLICATION

THE NORTH CAROLINA MASON

Pursuant to a resolution made by the Grand Lodge of A. F. & A. M. of North Carolina in its Annual Communication held in Winston-Salem, in April, 1966, a Grand Lodge

Committee on Publications was instituted with the following members appointed by the Board of General Purposes in accordance with the provisions of the resolution: Most Worshipful Brother William J. Bundy for a five-year term; Most Worshipful Brother Sam A. Hennis, Jr., for a four-year term; Most Worshipful Brother Robert L. Pugh, three-year term; Most Worshipful Brother W. Edward Burrier, two-year term; Right Worshipful Brother A. A. Kafer, Jr., for a one-year term. It was provided also that the Grand Master would always serve as chairman ex-officio.

Since that time the Board has met in two rather lengthy sessions, and it no doubt will have had still another session by the time this 1967 Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge convenes. As a result of intensive study and thorough discussion at these meetings, it was agreed that certain provisions which had been enumerated in the 1966 resolution would create something of a handicap in the implementation thereof, and that it would therefore be necessary for the Grand Lodge to give consideration to yet another resolution which would remove the inadequacies which the Board of Publication found prevalent in the original resolution. These inadequacies will be described in a forthcoming resolution to be presented by the Board of Publication and will be discussed more fully at that time. It is my intention here merely to add my endorsement to the new resolution and to ask that you give your wholehearted approval.

This publication to be known as THE NORTH CAROLINA MASON offers an excellent opportunity to bring the Grand Master and the Grand Lodge of North Carolina in close and constant touch with every Master Mason in our Grand Jurisdiction, because it is the intention, as you will recall, to place this new publication free of charge in the home of every Master Mason whose membership is in North Carolina. It affords us a wonderful opportunity to keep our brethren in touch with Masonic activities throughout the State; to keep them abreast of the trend of thinking which characterizes our brethren everywhere today; in short, it is the best medium we have ever devised to unite North Carolina Masons in a degree of helpful solidarity which they have never known before.

We look forward to the first issue of this publication on January 15, 1968, following which it will be released on a monthly basis on the 15th of each succeeding month.

The group of brethren who have been charged with the responsibility of making plans for this publication are recommending a number of things in their resolution, which I shall not detail here. Among the changes which they suggest, however, is one calling for a change in the title of the controlling organization, or committee, or board. Whereas this group of men originally were styled "The Grand Lodge Publications Committee," it is now requesting that its name be changed to, "The Board of Publications of THE NORTH CAROLINA MASON." Furthermore, if the first issue is to be released January 15, 1968, it will be necessary that certain expenses incident to the issuance thereof, expenses relative to administration and clerical and other details, be provided for in the budget for 1967. The Board of Publication is recommending the provision of \$1,000 for this purpose. I heartily approve both of these recommendations and ask that you give your endorsement thereto.

DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND MASTERS' CONFERENCE

For the first time in the history of our Grand Lodge, your Grand Master asked the District Deputy Grand Masters to remain over until Thursday following the Grand Lodge in April, 1966, for the purpose of holding our Conference. This meeting was held on Thursday, April 21, at 9:30 A.M., at which time all the District Deputy Grand Masters, except one, were in attendance. This number included the outgoing District Deputy Grand Masters as well as the newly-appointed District Deputy Grand Masters. The Commissions to the newly-appointed brethren were presented by the Grand Master. A letter of appreciation to those who had served three years, conferring upon them the title of Past District Deputy Grand Master, was presented by the immediate Past Grand Master. Following this, a brief ceremony of Dedication was conducted by Most Worshipful Robert L. Pugh, following which the retiring District Deputy Grand Master presented his jewel and apron to the newly appointed District Deputy Grand Master.

The Grand Master's Program for the ensuing year was presented and copies were given to each one present. This proved to be a most profitable meeting, conserving some five or six weeks of time, and proved to be a saving of at least \$1,000 to the Grand Lodge.

DISTRICT MEETINGS

This was a glorious experience! I am happy to report that I held a District Meeting in each of the 58 Districts in

our Grand Jurisdiction. Meeting and greeting the brethren in these District Meetings is sufficient pay for all the miles of travel and more than 170 nights spent away from home. The lowest attendance at any one meeting was 35, ranging from there up to more than 200. The average attendance was more than 70, making a total of 4200 brethren whom it was my privilege to meet and greet personally. At all of these meetings we had an afternoon session beginning at 5 o'clock, a dinner meeting at 6 o'clock, and a tyled session at 7 o'clock. At the evening meeting the Grand Master's Program was presented to each one present. The meetings were closed not later than 9:15. All of the District Meetings were completed by November 9.

I wish to extend my thanks and appreciation to all who took part and who added so much to the success of these meetings.

DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND MASTERS

As great as Masonry is, the ultimate success depends upon the dedication of fifty-eight men. To this fine group of working Master Masons who have served so unselfishly the Grand Master and the Grand Lodge in the capacity of District Deputy Grand Masters, I extend my sincere thanks and warm appreciation. Each of them has filled his office with honor and dignity.

HONORARY TITLE OF PAST DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND MASTER

I recommend that this Grand Lodge grant the honorary title of Past District Deputy Grand Master to the several brethren who are now eligible in accordance with the provisions of Regulation 12-05 of THE CODE, and if this recommendation is adopted, I shall present certificates bearing this rank and title to each of the following brethren during this Annual Communication:

Name	Lodge	District	Years Served	Total
William L. Adams	725	7	1964-65-66	3
Thomas R. Brown, Jr.	302	13	1964-65-66	3
Nelson W. Newton	206	14	1964-65-66	3
Robert M. Bird	203	20	1964-65-66	3
Robert G. Smith	305	26	1964-65-66	3
Posey L. Bryant	352	31	1964-65-66	3
Floyd M. Burton	576	37	1964-65-66	3
E. Carol Caton	720	38	1964-65-66	3
James W. Russell	461	39	1964-65-66	3
Hugh R. Sipe	709	44	1964-65-66	3
Claude Billings	483	48	1964-65-66	3
Guy A. Duncan	381	52	1964-65-66	3
Willie L. Lankford	293	53	1964-65-66	3

CERTIFIED LECTURERS

This Grand Lodge is indebted to the fifty-eight District Deputy Grand Lecturers and to the Certified Lecturers for the monumental service they have rendered to the Craft. Nearly 500 of our brethren are on the roll of Certified Lecturers and Instructors.

On behalf of the Grand Lodge and myself, I extend my thanks to those brethren for their dedication to Masonry.

RALLY DAYS

These Rally Day Programs have proven to be of an inspirational nature. Probably never before, in the history of the Grand Lodge have so many Masons gathered under the banner of Blue Lodge Masonry to rededicate themselves to the principles of Masonry. In the three Rally Days held in Asheville, Greenville and Greensboro, there were more than six thousand Master Masons in attendance, in addition to which, at the Greenville meeting, there were probably one thousand ladies. To see our brethren from all the appendant degrees of Masonry, including the Scottish Rite, York Rite and members of the Shrine, join their brethren, was truly a great experience.

I wish to thank everyone who made these meetings possible by their dedicated efforts to them, the titular heads of the York Rite Bodies, Scottish Rite Bodies and our two Shrine Temples, Sudan and Oasis, for participating in this effort. I especially want to thank Rev. Brother A. D. Leon Gray and the other members of his committee, Most Worshipful Brother W. Edward Burrier and Rev. Brother Troy G. Robbins, for their untiring efforts.

I highly recommend that we continue this effort.

HONORARY MEMBERSHIPS

I acknowledge with sincere gratitude the following Honorary Memberships during the year:

Piedmont Lodge No. 681
Sparta Lodge No. 423
Charles M. Setzer Lodge No. 693
Fellowship Lodge No. 687
Sudan Temple AAONMS, New Bern
Legion of Honor, Grand Chapter of the Order of DeMolay

**CONFERENCE OF GRAND MASTERS OF MASONS
IN NORTH AMERICA**

The Conference of Grand Masters of Masons of North America was called to order in the Shoreham Hotel, Washington, D. C., at 9:30 A.M., Monday, February 20, and was

adjourned Tuesday afternoon, February 21. In addition to your Grand Master, the following were in attendance from this Grand Jurisdiction: Most Worshipful Brothers James W. Brewer, William J. Bundy, W. Edward Burrier, Sam A. Hennis, Jr., James G. Johnston, Robert L. Pugh and Harvey W. Smith; Right Worshipful Brothers Robert N. Bass, Jr., William A. Hooks and Alfred A. Kafer, Jr.; Worshipful Brothers Robert P. Dudley, Berl M. Kahn and William W. Mims, Jr. Several of the wives of the North Carolina delegation were in attendance. Senators Ervin and Jordan, accompanied by their wives, and several of our Congressmen and their wives, attended the Grand Master's Banquet on Monday evening.

THE GEORGE WASHINGTON MASONIC NATIONAL MEMORIAL ASSOCIATION

The 57th Annual Communication of the George Washington Masonic National Memorial Association was held in the auditorium of the Memorial at Alexandria, Va. on Wednesday, February 22, 1967. Your Grand Master, along with several members of the North Carolina delegation, attended this meeting and the luncheon. Your Grand Master was a member of a committee to place a wreath at the tomb of our esteemed brother, George Washington, at Mount Vernon. Most Worshipful Robert L. Pugh, P.G.M., our elected representative to the George Washington Masonic National Memorial Association, was present and will report on this meeting.

MASONIC SERVICE ASSOCIATION OF THE UNITED STATES

The 48th Anniversary Meeting of this Service Association was held on Thursday, February 23, 1967, at the ladies, to attend this Conference. A most interesting program was presented covering the activities of this fine organization. Your Grand Master attended this Conference from the opening to adjournment. It was a delightful meeting and I am sure that all the brethren returned home with much inspiration. Most Worshipful Robert L. Pugh, Past Grand Master, our elected representative to the Masonic Service Association, was present and will report on this meeting.

SOUTHEASTERN MASONIC CONFERENCE

It was the pleasure of your Grand Master, together with Right Worshipful Brother Robert N. Bass, Jr., and our

ladies, to attend this Conference. A most interesting program had been arranged by Most Worshipful William M. Hollis, Grand Master of Masons in Florida. Several subjects of vital importance to the Craft were on the agenda and were ably discussed by the distinguished brethren in attendance at this Conference. The Conference itself was most ably presided over by Most Worshipful Brother Hollis who was well prepared himself to speak on any of the subjects presented. The Conference was more largely attended than the one in Jackson, Mississippi, last year and it occurs to this Grand Master that this Conference can be made an outstanding event in the coming years.

Your Grand Master was honored by having the privilege of speaking to the entire Conference. My remarks were taped and will be copied and become a part of the minutes of the Conference, copies of which will be mailed to interested parties. The same applies to the other topics discussed, therefore I shall not attempt to go into detail regarding these topics.

On behalf of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina and in conformity with a resolution of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina, your Grand Master, together with Right Worshipful Brother Bass, Senior Grand Warden, extended an invitation for the Conference to meet in North Carolina in 1967. The Conference unanimously accepted this invitation and the dates have been set for August 3, 4 and 5; the place, Grove Park Inn, Asheville, N. C. Reservations have already been made with Grove Park Inn to take care of this Conference. I sincerely hope that many of our brethren will avail themselves of the privilege and opportunity of attending this Conference in 1967. This Grand Jurisdiction is highly respected by the brethren of the Southeastern Masonic Conference. We should work continuously to improve this Conference and in as much as we will be hosts, we should show by our presence and in every way possible, that we appreciate their high regard for our Grand Jurisdiction.

ITALY FLOOD DISASTER RELIEF

On December 12, the Masonic Service Association of the United States notified all Grand Lodges of the tragic and disastrous results of the floods in Italy. This flood occurred on November 4, 1966, and caused tremendous destruction in all the Temples. After consultation with the Board of General Purposes, the Grand Lodge of North Carolina sent \$500

to the Masonic Service Association as its contribution to the Flood Relief Program in Italy. A copy of a letter addressed to our Grand Secretary from the Grand Oriente of Italy acknowledges receipt of our contribution and extends their sincere thanks.

FINANCES

My Brethren, at the beginning of my year Master Masons, at all levels of our Grand Lodge, began to express their concern to me about Grand Lodge finances. As the tempo of their complaints rose, it became evident that this matter could no longer be ignored. After a thorough investigation and more than one hundred hours in conference with our brethren, enough information was obtained which, in my opinion, necessitated my reporting my findings to the Board of General Purposes for advice and a decision. On November 25, 1966, I called a Special Meeting of the Board of General Purposes at which time I submitted a written report, substantiated by documentary evidence. All members of the Board were present as well as two Past Grand Masters and the Accountant. In presenting this matter to the Board of General Purposes, I had but one thought in mind and that was that the Grand Lodge adhere strictly to THE CODE as to fiscal accountability of Grand Lodge funds. At my request, one of our immediate Past Grand Masters prepared an explanation of the chain of command as established by our CODE for the government of the Grand Lodge. The report which I made to the Board in writing is too lengthy to be presented here but it was accepted and made a part of the minutes of the Board Meeting, as was the explanation of our law. A copy of the minutes together with my report and an explanation of THE CODE was mailed to each member of the Board of General Purposes, to the Chairman on Finance, the Chairman of Jurisprudence and a copy presented to the Grand Secretary. The action taken by the Board of General Purposes is a matter of record and if followed, should bring us more nearly into conformity with THE CODE as to a more strict accountability of Grand Lodge funds. Much good was accomplished in this meeting which, we hope, will be of a lasting nature.

APPRECIATION

It is with heartfelt gratitude that I attempt to express my thanks and grateful appreciation to the Grand Lodge Officers, District Deputy Grand Masters, District Deputy

Grand Lecturers, members of Boards and Committees; for the many courtesies shown me and for their kind assistance and wonderful cooperation. I wish it were possible to list the names of each one, together with each act of kindness. Of course that is impossible but the following is a list who have rendered invaluable service to me by way of advice and counsel, for which I am most grateful:

To the Grand Secretary, the Assistant to the Grand Secretary, and to each member of the Grand Secretary's Office, I wish to express appreciation for all services rendered during my term of office;

To Most Worshipful Edwin T. Howard, Past Grand Master, Most Worshipful William J. Bundy, Past Grand Master, and my son and brother, Arnold J. Koonce, Jr., for the Installation Service;

To Most Worshipful Brother Robert L. Fugh, Past Grand Master, for the Oration at the Recognition Dinner in High Point and for other valuable assistance;

To the members of the Thirty-sixth Masonic District, and especially my Home Lodge, Hiram No. 716, the Master of Hiram Lodge No. 716, Brother Clyde S. Campbell, and my friend and brother, James E. Mosteller, The District Deputy Grand Master of the Thirty-sixth Masonic District, for the Recognition Dinner given in my honor which was a beautiful expression as exemplified by the more than two hundred fifty people present.

To Most Worshipful Brother Watson N. Sherrod, Past Grand Master, for his advice and counsel,

To Most Worshipful Brother G. Dudley Humphrey, Past Grand Master, for invaluable service on numerous occasions,

To Right Worshipful Robert N. Bass, Jr., Senior Grand Warden, and Worshipful Hiram J. Casebolt, District Deputy Grand Master of the Twenty-third Masonic District, for so graciously furnishing more than five thousand copies of the Grand Master's Program for distribution at the District Meetings. I am most grateful also to both of these brethren for the many courtesies they have shown me on numerous occasions this year. In addition, I extend to each of them, along with the various committees appointed by them who worked so faithfully to make this session of the Grand Lodge so pleasant for everyone, my sincere thanks and appreciation;

To the North Carolina Council Order of DeMolay for the wonderful attendance at the Grand Master's Class in High Point on November 20, 1966, at which time they initiated one hundred forty-three candidates and presented me with the Legion of Honor;

To High Point Chapter No. 106 Order of the Eastern Star for the reception given in my honor, at which time most of the Grand Chapter officials were present, including the Worthy Grand Matron;

To my lovely lady, to whom I have been married for almost forty-five years, for serving as my secretary, for being my traveling companion on many trips and for being sympathetic and understanding during my attendance at more than two hundred meetings this year, I am most grateful. She has been a constant source of encouragement during all my years in Masonry, more especially this year.

Again, I thank Most Worshipful William J. Bundy, Past Grand Master, Chairman of Jurisprudence, for his advice and counsel on numerous occasions.

My sincere thanks go to all of the many brethren in this Grand Jurisdiction for all of the courtesies shown me as their Grand Master. I shall ever be indebted to these fine brethren for taking me into their fellowship.

RECOMMENDATIONS

I recommend that we continue our usual appropriations to the Oxford Orphanage, to the Masonic and Eastern Star Home of North Carolina, Inc., Charity, The Masonic Service Association, the Grand Masters' Conference, the Grand Secretaries' Conference, Masonic Relief Association of the United States and Canada, George Washington Masonic National Memorial Association, the Masonic Service Association for Hospital and Visitation, Southeastern Masonic Conference, the Order of the Rainbow for Girls, and that we increase our donation to the Order of DeMolay by \$100 which is to be used by Worshipful Brother Sinclair Tebo as the new Executive Officer. This would make our total contribution to DeMolay \$400.

I FURTHER RECOMMEND

In keeping with my deep concern regarding more strict accountability of Grand Lodge funds and with a sincere desire to keep faith with all the brethren in this Grand Jurisdiction, on March 27, 1967, I appointed a special committee to be known as THE ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON THE BUDGET. The brethren appointed are as follows:

Worshipful Brother Nathan P. Strause, Chairman
Worshipful Brother Henry L. Bridges
Worshipful Brother Louis W. Shrier

who were notified by mail. Copies of this letter were mailed to Most Worshipfuls Charles A. Harris, William J. Bundy and Harvey W. Smith. I now quote the letter as follows:

Dear Brethren:

In order that we might have more complete information pertaining to budgeted items, later to be submitted by the Committee on Finance and approved by the Grand Lodge, I wish to name you brethren as a Special Committee, to be known as THE ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON THE BUDGET. I hereby name Worshipful Brother Strause as chairman and respectfully request that he convene this committee immediately.

It will be the duty of this committee to examine every voucher issued by the Grand Secretary to ascertain that there is an invoice or an order supporting each voucher. It will also be the duty of this committee to ascertain that each voucher issued is charged to the proper budgeted item. In addition, you are to examine the returns from the subordinate lodges showing the net increase of new members for the fiscal year ending December 31, as well as the amount due the Grand Lodge from each subordinate lodge. As the time is short, the work of this Committee should begin immediately. The Grand Secretary is hereby directed to make any and all information available to this committee, including all vouchers, invoices and copies of the audit report. When this committee has completed its work, it will report the information to the Committee on Finance and to the present Grand Master.

I believe that this Committee can be of invaluable help to the Committee on Finance and of great assistance to the Grand Lodge in attempting to establish more strict accountability of the expenditures of Grand Lodge funds.

It is hereby directed that any expense incurred by this committee shall be paid after approval by the Grand Master.

Sincerely and fraternally yours,
Arnold J. Koonce
Grand Master

I hereby recommend that this Grand Lodge at its Annual Communication, approve the continuance of this committee and that it be made a permanent committee of the Grand Lodge. I further recommend that the incoming Grand Master, in each successive year, name the members of this committee.


CONCLUSION

And now, my brethren, how fast "the sands of time" have run. In less than thirty-six hours I will have finished

my year as your Grand Master. I have traveled the length and breadth of this Grand Jurisdiction many times. I have appeared in more than two hundred meetings, including fifty-eight District Meetings, Scottish Rite, York Rite, Shrine, DeMolay, Order of the Eastern Star and the Order of the Rainbow Girls. I have spent more than one hundred seventy nights away from home and have traveled some 27,000 miles. I have had the privilege of speaking to church groups and teaching Sunday School classes in various parts of the State. I have attempted to present the image of Masonry and the image of the Grand Lodge wherever I have been, being ever mindful of the responsibility incumbent upon the Grand Master of Masons of North Carolina. It has been my privilege to speak to more than 15,000 Master Masons, including our Rally Day programs. Truly, this has been a glorious experience! Much good has been accomplished and I firmly believe that the brethren in Masonry have rededicated themselves to the principles of Masonry as there is evidence of a renewed interest in our gentle Craft. Whatever has been accomplished was made possible by the assistance of the brethren; so—to them and not to myself, belongs any credit for any good that has accrued during this year. The brethren made me the Grand Master. I have tried to fill the office to the best of my ability and so I finish as I began in Winston-Salem on April 20, 1966. "This has been a high moment in my life" and truly it has been. I said then and I say now, "What happens to Arnold J. Koonce is unimportant. I want Masonry to have a good year. I want you to enjoy Masonry and I want to enjoy it with you." I have enjoyed Masonry by attempting to adhere to the Ancient Landmarks. It has been my pleasure to hold up before the brethren one of the predominate purposes for which this Grand Lodge was organized—FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD.

As I began my year in Winston-Salem as your Grand Master, I now close my year with one of the same Scriptures used then: "Fear God and keep His commandments; for this is the whole duty of man." This has been my INSPIRATION and I leave it with you as a challenge for all your future transactions with mankind.

Respectfully submitted,



Grand Master

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF GENERAL PURPOSES ON THE DISTRIBUTION OF THE REPORT OF THE GRAND MASTER

(Docket No. 2)

The following report of the Board of General Purposes on the distribution of the report of the Grand Master was read by M. W. Charles A. Harris, P.G.M., Grand Secretary, entered on the record and unanimously adopted:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

The Board of General Purposes, in compliance with the provisions of THE CODE, has reviewed and carefully considered the report of the Most Worshipful Grand Master, Brother Arnold J. Koonce, Sr., in all of its detail, and submit this report:

We congratulate the Grand Master upon his performance of the duties of the office of Grand Master; as reflected in the report of his activities.

The Board recommends:

(1) That the parts of the Grand Master's report which relate to decisions, dispensations, orders, amendments to THE CODE, and other legal matters be referred to the Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence;

(2) That the portions relative to matters of finance be referred to the Committee on Finance.

(3) That the portions concerning the Oxford Orphanage and the Masonic and Eastern Star Home, respectively, be referred to the respective committees on those institutions;

(4) That the portion relative to the presentation of certificates to the Past District Deputy Grand Masters be referred to the Board of General Purposes; and

(5) That all other matters be assigned without further specific reference to the committee or commission which should properly consider them.

Respectfully submitted,

ALFRED A. KAUF, JR., *Deputy Grand Master*

ROBERT N. BASS, JR., *Senior Grand Warden*

WILLIAM A. HOOKS, *Junior Grand Warden*

JAMES W. BREWER, P.G.M., *Grand Treasurer*

CHARLES A. HARRIS, P.G.M., *Grand Secretary*

CHARLES H. PUGH, P.G.M.

WILLIAM J. BUNDY, P.G.M.

W. EDWARD BURRIER, P.G.M.

WATSON N. SHERROD, P.G.M.

ROBERT L. PUGH, P.G.M.

EDWIN T. HOWARD, P.G.M.

REPORT OF THE GRAND TREASURER

(Docket No. 3)

The following report of the Grand Treasurer was presented, received, entered on the record, and referred to the Committee on Finance:

PROCEEDINGS OF THE

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

I herewith submit my Annual Report as Grand Treasurer, for the year ending December 31, 1966:

RECEIPTS

Balance January 1, 1966.....	\$ 8,568.93
Received from the Grand Secretary.....	262,703.30
Total Receipts.....	\$271,272.23

DISBURSEMENTS:

Vouchers Numbers 1-66 through 791-66.....	265,429.31
Balance December 31, 1966.....	\$ 5,842.92

REPORT OF RESERVE ACCOUNTS AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1966

Reserve for cost of reprinting the O. S. W.....	\$ 11,917.10
Reserve for reprinting THE CODE.....	7,348.95
Reserve for Grand Lodge Building Account.....	15,499.68
Reserve for Book Sales Account.....	2,183.14
Total Reserves.....	\$ 36,948.87

Respectfully submitted,
JAMES W. BREWER, *Grand Treasurer*

REPORT OF THE GRAND SECRETARY

(Docket No. 4)

The Grand Secretary presented the following report which was received, entered on the record, and referred to the Committee on Finance:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

I herewith submit my Annual Report as Grand Secretary, for the year ending December 31, 1966:

RECEIPTS

From Lodges.....	\$190,373.50
From Drewry Memorial Grand Secretary's Fund.....	2,068.00
For George Washington Masonic National Memorial.....	1,271.37
North Carolina Masonic Foundation, Inc.....	55,704.56
Sales of Books.....	3,054.60
Dividends, Interest and Miscellaneous Income.....	10,231.27
Total Receipts in 1966.....	\$262,703.30
Total Cash paid to Grand Treasurer.....	\$262,703.30

1966 DISBURSEMENTS AND PROPOSED BUDGET FOR 1967

	1966 Budget	1966 Actual	Suggested for 1967
Orphanage, Home and Charity			
101—Oxford Orphanage	\$ 50,000.00	\$ 50,000.00	\$ 50,000.00
102—Masonic & Eastern Star Home.....	50,000.00	50,000.00	50,000.00
103—Charity	2,000.00	550.00	2,000.00

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	1966 Budget	1966 Actual	Suggested for 1967
Salaries			
201—Grand Secretary	12,000.00	12,000.00	12,000.00
202—Grand Treasurer	500.00	500.00	1,000.00
203—Grand Tyler	100.00	100.00	100.00
204—Grand Historian	100.00	100.00	100.00
205—Fraternal Correspondent	300.00	300.00	300.00
206—Clerical Help, G. S. Office	20,000.00	19,110.50	20,000.00
207—Assistant to Grand Secretary	8,400.00	8,400.00	9,000.00
208—Social Security Taxes	1,600.00	1,520.43	1,625.00
Masonic Dues			
301—Masonic Service Association	1,560.00	1,557.46	1,575.00
302—Grand Masters Conference	120.00	120.00	120.00
303—Grand Secretaries Conference	40.00	40.00	40.00
304—Masonic Relief Association	325.00	324.73	330.00
305—Geo. Washington Mas. Nat'l. Mem.	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
306—M.S.A. for Hospital Visitation	3,000.00	3,000.00	3,000.00
307—Southeastern Masonic Conference	200.00	200.00	200.00
Sundry Expense			
401—G.M. Off.—Travel—January-April	1,666.67	1,461.07	1,666.67
402—G.M. Off.—Travel—May-December	3,333.33	3,778.18	3,333.33
403—Grand Sec. Travel—Jan.-April	800.00	629.61	800.00
404—Grand Sec. Travel—May-December	1,600.00	1,493.59	1,600.00
405—Grand Treasurer's Office	150.00	150.00	150.00
406—Deputy G.M. Travel—Jan-April	166.67	328.20	166.67
407—Deputy G.M. Travel—May-December	333.33	294.04	333.33
408—Lecture Service	7,000.00	7,350.00	7,500.00
409—Auditing	500.00	1,250.00	500.00
Grand Representatives, Out of State			
501—Grand Masters Conference	1,200.00	1,200.00	1,200.00
502—Visiting Grand Lodges—Jan.-April	600.00	363.55	600.00
503—Visiting Grand Lodges—May-Dec.	1,200.00	1,229.17	1,200.00
504—Representative MSA and GWMNMA	200.00	200.00	200.00
505—Representatives S. E. Conference	400.00	400.00	400.00
506—Foreign Visitations .....	.00	.00	.00
Expense, Grand Secretary's Office			
601—Stationary, Printing, Supplies	4,500.00	4,034.90	4,200.00
602—Postage	2,100.00	2,024.19	1,800.00
603—Official Forms	800.00	541.17	700.00
604—Printing Proceedings	4,000.00	3,590.74	3,800.00
605—Printing Misc. Masonic Ceremonies	400.00	.00	200.00
606—Reworking Old Proceedings	100.00	.00	100.00
608—Reprinting The Code .....	.00	.00	3,500.00
609—Reserve for Book Sales	3,000.00	3,000.00	3,000.00
610—Pantagraph's Publications .....	.00	.00	350.00
Expense, Annual Communication			
701—Grand Officers	2,000.00	1,959.16	2,000.00
702—Past Grand Officers	1,000.00	977.69	1,000.00
703—District Deputy Grand Masters	2,000.00	2,495.27	2,000.00
704—District Deputy Grand Lecturers	1,000.00	579.39	800.00
705—Boards, Commissions, Committees	1,200.00	805.09	1,000.00
706—Out of State Guests	1,000.00	893.43	1,000.00
707—Rentals, Dinners, Miscellaneous	4,000.00	5,800.39	4,000.00
Expense, District Deputies			
751—Visiting Lodges, DDGMs	2,000.00	1,257.79	1,500.00
752—Visiting Lodges, DDGLs	800.00	866.47	800.00
Expense, Executive Office Building			
801—Janitor Service	3,300.00	3,278.00	3,300.00
802—Light, Heat and Water	3,000.00	2,714.04	2,800.00
803—Telephone and Telegraph	1,200.00	1,324.16	1,350.00
804—Insurance	2,200.00	2,903.78	2,500.00
805—Janitorial Supplies	200.00	116.08	200.00
806—Maintenance of Grounds	500.00	684.66	1,000.00
807—Maintenance of Building	500.00	268.17	500.00
808—Maintenance of Equipment	1,400.00	1,387.30	1,450.00
809—Automobile Expense	250.00	253.56	250.00
810—Grand Lodge Office Bldg. Reserve	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00

PROCEEDINGS OF THE

	1966 Budget	1966 Actual	Suggested for 1967
Miscellaneous Expense			
901—Contingent	3,500.00	2,673.59	3,000.00
902—Refunds	100.00	.00	100.00
903—Code Commission	900.00	875.89	500.00
904—Board of Custodians	4,500.00	5,090.84	3,750.00
905—Board of General Purposes	1,000.00	1,178.68	1,000.00
906—Judge Advocate	400.00	568.08	600.00
907—Committee on By-Laws	500.00	241.85	250.00
908—Lodge Service Commission	600.00	579.01	500.00
909—Employees Retirement Allowance	600.00	600.00	600.00
910—Committee on Mas. Research & Ed.	500.00	25.00	250.00
911—Automobile for Grand Master	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,500.00
912—Office Equipment	1,000.00	404.39	1,000.00
913—Portraits of Grand Masters	2,100.00	2,071.15	2,100.00
914—Order of DeMolay	300.00	300.00	300.00
915—Order of the Rainbow for Girls	200.00	200.00	200.00
916—Aprons, Awards, Emblems, Jewels	1,000.00	1,337.86	1,500.00
924—Employees Retirement Fund	2,400.00	2,295.91	2,400.00
925—Masonic Rally Days	.00	2,134.30	2,500.00
926—The North Carolina Mason	.00	.00	1,000.00
920—Reprinting the O. S. W.	2,000.00	2,000.00	.00
	\$240,945.00	\$239,782.49	\$245,190.00

**RECAPITULATION OF DISBURSEMENTS IN 1966
AND SUGGESTED BUDGET FOR 1967**

Orphanage, Home and Charity	\$102,000.00	\$100,550.00	\$102,000.00
Salaries	43,000.00	42,030.93	44,125.00
Masonic Dues	6,245.00	6,242.19	6,265.00
Sundry Expenses	15,550.00	16,734.69	16,050.00
Grand Representatives Out of State	3,600.00	3,392.72	3,600.00
Expense, Grand Secretary's Office	14,900.00	13,191.00	17,650.00
Expense, Annual Communication	12,200.00	13,510.42	11,800.00
District Deputies, Visiting Lodges	2,800.00	2,124.26	2,300.00
Expense, Executive Office Building	17,550.00	17,929.75	18,350.00
Miscellaneous Expense	23,100.00	24,076.53	23,050.00
Totals	\$240,945.00	\$239,782.49	\$245,190.00

ESTIMATE OF INCOME IN 1967

65,938 Masons @ \$2.50	\$164,845.00
2257 Initiations @ \$1.00	2,257.00
2257 Charity Fees @ \$10.00	22,570.00
Drewry Fund Income	4,000.00
N. C. Masonic Foundation Income	58,000.00
Savings and Loan Dividends	2,400.00
Sales of books	3,500.00
Total Income	\$257,572.00
Bank Balance December 31, 1966	5,842.92
Total Estimated Income in 1967	263,414.92
Less Total Suggested Budget	245,190.00
Operating Balance	\$ 18,224.92

CHARTERS

Charters were granted to the following lodges on April 20, 1966:

James B. Green Lodge No. 735, A. F. & A. M., Raleigh

New River Lodge No. 736, A. F. & A. M., Jacksonville

Steele Creek Lodge No. 737, A. F. & A. M., Charlotte, R. F. D.

The above lodges were constituted by the Grand Master on April 22nd, April 23rd, and April 26th, respectively.

ESTIMATE OF MEMBERSHIP

As of December 31, 1966

Number Master Masons reported as of December 31, 1965.....65,373
 Number Net Corrections in Annual Returns for 1965.....5

CORRECTED Total as of December 31, 1965.....65,368

ADD: Gains in 1966:

Number INITIATED2,277
 Number PASSED2,207
 Number RAISED2,119
 Number ADMITTED414
 Number RESTORED267
 Total Gains2,800

Total68,168

DEDUCT: Losses in 1966:

Number EXPELLED6
 Number SUSPENDED U. M. C.1
 Number EXCLUDED for N. P. D.623
 Number DEMITTED402
 Number DIED1,173
 Total Losses2,205

Total Number Master Masons December 31, 1966.....65,963

NET GAIN for 1966.....595

Petitions for the Degrees Rejected in 1966.....387

(NOTE: The foregoing figures under ESTIMATE OF MEMBERSHIP are subject to change as the Annual Returns of the Lodges are audited during the year.)

CHARTERED LODGES

Number of Chartered Lodges as of December 31, 1965.....370

ADD: Lodges Chartered April 20, 1966.....3

James B. Green Lodge No. 735

New River Lodge No. 736

Steele Creek Lodge No. 737

Number of Chartered Lodges as of December 31, 1966.....373

**THE GRAND LODGE OF NORTH CAROLINA
SERVICE AWARDS**

A total of 476 Grand Lodge Service Awards (25-Year Emblems and Certificates) were presented during the year 1966.

**THE GRAND LODGE OF NORTH CAROLINA
VETERANS' EMBLEMS**

A total of 120 Veterans' Emblems and Veterans' Award Certificates (50-Year Awards) were presented during the year 1966.

**THE GRAND LODGE OF NORTH CAROLINA
DIAMOND JUBILEE AWARDS**

A total of 18 Diamond Jubilee Emblems and Diamond Jubilee Award Certificates (60-Year Awards) were presented during the year 1966.

A complete list of the brethren to whom the 50-Year and 60-Year Awards were presented will be included in the Appendix to the Proceedings for 1967.

EMERGENT COMMUNICATIONS OF THE GRAND LODGE

Emergent Communications of the Grand Lodge have been held as follows:

June 11, 1966, at Goldsboro, for the purpose of laying the cornerstone for the new Temple of Wayne Lodge No. 112, A. F. & A. M.

October 1, 1966, at Rockwell, for the purpose of laying the cornerstone for the new Temple of Keller Memorial Lodge No. 657, A. F. & A. M.

November 8, 1966, at New Bern, for the purpose of dedicating the new Temple of the New Bern York Rite Bodies.

November 11, 1966, at West Asheville, for the purpose of dedicating the Temple of West Asheville Lodge No. 665, A. F. & A. M.

December 6, 1966, at Taylorsville, for the purpose of dedicating the new Temple of Lee Lodge No. 253, A. F. & A. M.

As this report is being prepared for printing, Emergent Communications have been scheduled to be held as follows:

April 7, 1967, at Oxford, for the purpose of laying the cornerstone for the new Boys' Cottage at the Oxford Orphanage.

April 8, 1967, at Farmington, for the purpose of setting a commemorative stone in the Temple of Farmington Lodge No. 265, A. F. & A. M., which lodge will be celebrating its one hundredth anniversary at that time.

April 15, 1967, at Goldsboro, for the purpose of dedicating the new Temple of Wayne Lodge No. 112, A. F. & A. M.

APPRECIATION

Again I wish to express my sincere appreciation to our outstanding group in the Grand Secretary's office. I am confident that there is not a more competent group in any Grand Secretary's office anywhere in the country, and it is a great pleasure to work with such a fine group.

To Brother Robert P. Dudley and these fine young ladies I can only say, Thank You again for your loyalty and support.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES A. HARRIS, *Grand Secretary*

REPORT OF THE AUDITOR

(Docket No. 5)

The following report of Brother Walter A. Watts, Certified Public Accountant, Auditor, was presented, entered on the record and referred to the Committee on Finance:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

Copies of my report for the year ended December 31, 1966 for the Grand Lodge, the North Carolina Masonic Foundation, Inc., and the Masonic and Eastern Star Home of North Carolina, Inc., and for the

year ended September 30, 1966 for the Oxford Orphanage, Inc., have been delivered to the Grand Secretary. Separate copies were mailed to the Superintendent of the Masonic & Eastern Star Home and to the Business Manager of the Oxford Orphanage.

Your attention is directed to these reports for my opinion of the financial position of the Grand Lodge, the Foundation, the Home, and the Orphanage as of their respective closing dates, and the results of their operations for the year then ended.

Respectfully submitted,
WALTER A. WATTS, C.P.A.,

REPORT OF THE LODGE SERVICE COMMISSION

(Docket No. 6)

The following report of the Lodge Service Commission was presented, received and entered on the record:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

The Lodge Service Commission respectfully submits the following report for the period beginning April 1, 1966 and ending March 1, 1967.

LODGE NAME	NO.	DATE APPROVED	REMARKS
Stump Sound	733	4/26/66	Debt not to exceed \$2,000.00. Approved. Authorized to complete lodge building.
Sonoma	472	5/ 3/66	Debt not to exceed \$9,000.00. Approved. Authorized to purchase building for Lodge Hall.
Laurinburg	305	6/ 8/66	Debt not to exceed \$5,000.00. Approved. Authorized to make repairs to lodge building.
Raeford	306	6/ 9/66	No Debt. Approved. Authorized to accept a lot of land.
Fort Bragg	667	6/29/66	No Debt. Approved. Authorized to execute Lease from Fort Bragg Lodge No. 667 to Carolina Power & Light Company.
Pleasant Hill	304	7/22/66	No Debt. Approved. Authorized to accept a lot of land.
Yadkin Falls	637	8/15/66	Debt not to exceed \$4,000.00. Approved. Authorized to purchase lot with building thereon and to make repairs to said building.
Keller-Memorial	657	8/15/66	Debt not to exceed \$38,000.00. Approved. Authorized to build new lodge building.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE

LODGE NAME	NO.	DATE APPROVED	REMARKS
Pigeon River	386	10/12/66	No Debt. Approved. Authorized to purchase lot of land for \$10,000 in cash.
Atkinson	612	10/19/66	No Debt. Approved. Authorized to accept land as gift.
State Line	375	11/ 4/66	No Debt. Approved. Authorized to accept land.
Saint Pauls	474	12/13/66	No Debt. Approved. Authorized to accept land.
Durham	352	12/13/66	Debt not to exceed \$5,000.00. Approved. Authorized to purchase lot of land.
Archer	165	1/16/67	Debt not to exceed \$10,000.00. Approved. Authorized to build new lodge building.
King	722	1/20/67	Debt not to exceed \$20,000.00. Approved. Authorized to complete lodge building.
Creasy Proctor	679	2/24/67	No Debt. Approved. Authorized to form corporation known as the Masonic Center of Fayetteville, Inc.
* These two lodges were not included in the annual report for 1965.			
Lee	253	1/ 7/66	No Debt. Approved. Authorized to construct new building.
Red Springs	501	1/18/66	Debt not to exceed \$5,000.00. Approved. Authorized to complete present lodge building and upon completion of same to add on a new part.

1. The applications filed by the above lodges have been approved.

2. In addition to the eighteen lodges reported above, the Commission has received inquiries from eight lodges concerning the procedure required under Regulation 49-05, as amended April 17, 1957, as it relates to lodge building programs; and, in every case, we have promptly furnished detailed information and proper forms on which to file applications.

3. Under the provisions of Chapter 36 of THE CODE, our business has been conducted by correspondence as permitted under Regulation 36-02. We had one meeting on January 13, 1967, in the Hearing Room of the Grand Lodge Building.

Respectfully submitted,
 WILLIAM T. HATCH, *Chairman*
 EMMETT D. CHANDLER, *P.M.*
 EDWIN T. HOWARD, *P.G.M.*
 WATSON N. SHERROD, *P.G.M.*
 WILLIAM J. BUNDY, *P.G.M.*

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON BY-LAWS OF SUBORDINATE LODGES

(Docket No. 7)

The Committee on By-Laws of Subordinate Lodges presented the following report which was adopted:

To The Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

Your Committee on By-Laws of Subordinate Lodges reports that amendments and new by-laws of the following named lodges were considered by your Committee between March 24, 1966 and March 7, 1967:

PRELIMINARY BY-LAWS OF LODGES

U. D.	Approved [Reg. 44-02(1)]
Newell	March 7, 1967
West Gate	February 15, 1967

COMPLETE REVISION OF BY-LAWS

LODGE NAME	NO.	DATE APPROVED
Atlantic	294	December 9, 1966
Corinthian	542	September 15, 1966

COMPLETE REVISION OF BY-LAWS NOT APPROVED

LODGE NAME	NO.	DATE NOT APPROVED
Corinthian	542	September 1, 1966

AMENDMENTS TO BY-LAWS APPROVED

LODGE NAME	NO.	DATE APPROVED
St. Johns	4	September 29, 1966
Charity	5	September 7, 1966
American George	17	October 20, 1966
American George	17	February 9, 1967
Phalanx	31	September 12, 1966
Hiram	40	January 17, 1967
Kilwinning	64	August 23, 1966
Jerusalem	95	October 14, 1966
Millbrook	97	October 13, 1966
Orr	104	July 27, 1966
Perquimans	106	September 26, 1966
Mount Hermon	118	November 7, 1966
Hanks	128	December 30, 1966
Leaksville	136	October 20, 1966
Pee Dee	150	March 2, 1967
Scotch Ireland	154	June 20, 1966
Blackmer	170	October 13, 1966
George Washington	174	February 6, 1967
Mingo	206	May 25, 1966
Mingo	206	July 12, 1966
Mingo	206	October 17, 1966
William G. Hill	218	August 15, 1966
William T. Bain	231	May 24, 1966
Catawba	248	September 29, 1966
Beaver Dam	276	October 13, 1966
Green Level	277	August 15, 1966

PROCEEDINGS OF THE

LODGE NAME	NO.	DATE APPROVED
Rehoboth	279	August 23, 1966
Vance	293	December 12, 1966
Fallston	356	November 23, 1966
Mount Vernon	359	August 24, 1966
Seaboard	378	September 13, 1966
Pigeon River	386	June 17, 1966
Bald Creek	397	March 28, 1966
Joppa	401	October 18, 1966
Relief	431	November 7, 1966
West Bend	434	November 15, 1966
Biscoe	437	October 13, 1966
Marble Springs	439	September 29, 1966
Marietta	444	June 16, 1966
Clyde	453	October 19, 1966
Elkin	454	July 7, 1966
Currituck	463	January 11, 1967
Rainbow	479	December 29, 1966
Traphill	483	October 13, 1966
Hominy	491	July 22, 1966
Creedmoor	499	November 30, 1966
Red Springs	501	November 1, 1966
Pendleton	524	January 30, 1967
Hamlet	532	May 31, 1966
Roman Eagle	550	January 23, 1967
Revolution	552	September 26, 1966
Richlands	564	October 31, 1966
Mount Pleasant	569	January 27, 1967
Snow Creek	571	December 6, 1966
Mount Pleasant	573	October 25, 1966
Meadow Branch	578	September 7, 1966
Lowell	590	August 23, 1966
Lowell	590	September 12, 1966
Ashe	594	September 7, 1966
Atkinson	612	September 6, 1966
Atkinson	612	March 2, 1967
Union	618	September 15, 1966
Cannon Memorial	626	August 4, 1966
Goldsboro	634	May 13, 1966
John A. Nichols	650	October 28, 1966
Garland	664	October 19, 1966
West Asheville	665	October 13, 1966
Robbinsville	672	February 22, 1967
Creasy Proctor	679	October 18, 1966
Piedmont	681	July 14, 1966
Cherry Point	688	November 9, 1966
Charles M. Setzer	693	July 25, 1966
Allen-Graham	695	July 26, 1966
Allen-Graham	695	October 25, 1966
Butner	697	May 19, 1966
St. Andrew	702	July 11, 1966
Newport	706	August 4, 1966
King	722	November 17, 1966

LODGE NAME	NO.	DATE APPROVED
Shallotte	727	February 3, 1967
James B. Green	735	June 28, 1966
New River	736	July 26, 1966
Steele Creek	737	June 24, 1966

AMENDMENTS NOT APPROVED

LODGE NAME	NO.	DATE NOT APPROVED
Revolution	552	August 12, 1966
Stump Sound	733	September 1, 1966
Respectfully submitted, LOUIS W. SHRIER, P.M., P.D.D.G.M. <i>Chairman</i>		

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CHARITY

(Docket No. 8)

The Committee on Charity presented the following report, which was entered on the record and referred to the Committee on Finance:

To The Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

As Chairman of the Grand Lodge Committee on Charity for the year 1966, I recommended that financial aid be given in the following cases:

To Mrs. Walter B. Snell, Widow-----	\$100.00
Orr Lodge No. 104	
To Brother John H. Patterson-----	100.00
Dillsboro Lodge No. 459	
To Farmville Lodge No. 517-----	100.00
For funeral expenses of Brother James Elmer Garris	
To Brother Jacob Vaughan-----	100.00
Scotland Neck Lodge No. 689	
To Brother Melvin Reed Rogers-----	150.00
Oconee Lodge No. 427	

\$550.00

Respectfully submitted,
RICHARD D. TURNER, *Chairman*

**REPORT OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS
OF THE OXFORD ORPHANAGE, INC.**

(Docket No. 9)

The Board of Directors of Oxford Orphanage presented the following report, which was received, entered on the record and referred to the Committee on Finance:

To the Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of North Carolina:

The Board of Directors of Oxford Orphanage herewith submits its report to the Grand Lodge of North Carolina, which includes a detailed report of the Superintendent and the Departments of the Orphanage.

The Board of Directors held its regular meetings throughout the year and harmoniously administered all the affairs of the Orphanage. The Executive Committee and the Local Advisory Board held their meetings and made full reports to the Board of Directors.

The year ending September 30, 1966, has been a momentous year in the life of our beloved Orphanage. Our generous Masonic Family generated the largest flow of benevolence in our long history. So great was the manifestation of love by the lodges through the dedicated leadership of our Orphanage Committees, along with our affiliated institutions, the voluntary contributions created a new record. In fact, our Grand Jurisdiction led the nation in charitable contributions and this was done voluntarily without any assessments.

We were able to complete the Blue Lodge Building and the Nettie N. Bemis Cottage. Three old vocational buildings were demolished, the site was landscaped and new driveways are being built. May 20, 1966, a fire destroyed a portion of the interior of the Duke Building. This building was covered with insurance and the fire damage is being repaired.

It is with great joy that we are able to close another year without incurring any debt and can turn our attention again to our long range plans, with anticipation of resuming construction of cottages for our children. All the existing buildings are adequately covered by insurance.

During the year our Orphanage was not filled to capacity. We had vacancies for girls and a waiting list for boys. We closed the year with an enrollment of 303 children. These children came from forty-eight counties, of which only five percent are from Masonic parents and eighteen percent have Masonic relationship.

With great pride we survey the program of our Orphanage. We view the children as they are taken in the arms of Masonic Love and transformed into productive citizens, and highly praise our officers and staff for their exemplary services. We urge each Mason to visit our Orphanage and share with us its great beauty and spiritual joy.

We recommend that the Grand Lodge continue its appropriation for the support of the Orphanage.

Respectfully submitted,

*Board of Directors of the
Oxford Orphanage, Inc.*

ARNOLD J. KOONCE, SR., *Grand
Master and Chairman*

ALFRED A. KAUFER, JR., *Vice-
Chairman*

BEN CONE, *President*

JUDGE WILLIAM J. BUNDY, *Vice-
President*

DR. CHARLES H. PUGH

MAURICE E. WALSH

ROBERT L. MARTIN

ROBERT N. BASS, JR.

WILLIAM A. HOOKS

**SUPPLEMENTAL REPORT OF THE BOARD OF
DIRECTORS OF THE OXFORD ORPHANAGE, INC.****APRIL 18, 1967**

(Docket No. 10)

The Board of Directors of Oxford Orphanage presented the following supplemental report, which was received, entered on the record and referred to the Committee on Finance:

To the Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of North Carolina:

The Board of Directors and Superintendent of Oxford Orphanage published and circulated its Annual Report to the Grand Lodge of North Carolina during the fall of 1966. This report was for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1966. We would like to report that great progress has been made during the six months intervening since our last published report.

The Duke Building was completely renovated following the fire May 20, 1966, which restored this building to excellent condition and the cost of repair did not exceed the insurance coverage. With great joy we report that because of the generosity of the Masons and lodges we were able to resume our long range building plans. Ground was broken during March for the erection of a new boys' cottage and the demolition of the 3rd girls' cottage was begun. As quickly as this seventy year old cottage is removed another new girls' cottage will be erected as a replacement thereof.

When the fiscal year ended, our Orphanage had an enrollment of 303 children. We now have 326 children enrolled in the Orphanage and, in addition, have 14 boys and 10 girls on the approved waiting list and are constantly receiving additional applications for the services of our institution to needy children.

We find great security in the generous expression of gifts we receive during the Thanksgiving-Christmas Season because the Masonic gifts showed a slight increase over the corresponding period of last year. This gives us the assurance that we may continue planning for the enrichment of our program of child care. We sincerely urge each of our Masonic brethren to take advantage of the opportunity of visiting Oxford Orphanage. We recommend that the Grand Lodge continue its appropriation for the support of the Orphanage.

Respectfully submitted,
*Board of Directors of the
Oxford Orphanage, Inc.*

ARNOLD J. KOONCE, Sr., *Grand
Master and Chairman*

ROBERT N. BASS, JR., *Vice-Chairman*

BEN CONE, *President*

JUDGE WILLIAM J. BUNDY, *Vice-
President*

ALFRED A. KAHER, JR.

WILLIAM A. HOOKS

ROBERT L. MARTIN

DR. CHARLES H. PUGH

MAURICE E. WALSH

**REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE
ON OXFORD ORPHANAGE**

(Docket No. 11)

The following report of the Committee on Oxford Orphanage was presented, entered on the record and referred to the Committee on Finance:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

A meeting of your Committee on Oxford Orphanage was held March 4, 1967. The committee members present were: Nat C. Dean, Woodroe F. Haywood, Harry Shor and James O. Thornton. The committee was conducted on a very impressive tour of the institution, followed by a most enjoyable luncheon with the children, then reconvened for further discussion and are pleased to submit the following report.

We find that the Orphanage under the very able leadership of the Superintendent, Worshipful Brother A. D. Leon Gray is efficiently operated and progressing beautifully.

One of the outstanding features of the inspection was the immaculate way and manner in which the living quarters, dining room, kitchen and food handling facilities were kept. We found our children displaying a joyous life for the most part and well behaved for which we can be both proud and thankful.

We had the pleasure of meeting many of the House Mothers and wish to commend them on the understanding and efficient way they handle the children.

We report that there are 326 children in the home, 4% from Masonic parents and 12% from Masonic background. There are to date seventeen approved applicants and six additional applicants, pending. The senior class this year will consist of approximately seventeen graduates and it is indeed gratifying to learn that a large percentage will continue into advanced education financed by scholarship funds from the Orphanage.

Nine more cottages are to be built to house the children in fire-proof buildings. We understand plans call for building two cottages every other year with two to be built in 1967. We sincerely hope the Masons in North Carolina will make available sufficient funds in order to complete this building program ahead of schedule. However, we compliment our Board on its policy of debt free construction.

We recommend every Mason visit the Orphanage and see for himself the monument that is being built to Masonry through his contributions.

In conclusion, your committee commends the Board of Directors also Brother Gray and his staff for their faithful and untiring work for which every Mason in North Carolina can be justly proud. We recommend that the same officers and directors be continued.

Respectfully submitted,
NAT C. DEAN, *Chairman*
D. BOYD COLTRANE
WOODROE F. HAYWOOD
HARRY SHOR
JAMES O. THORNTON

**REPORT OF THE REPRESENTATIVES TO THE
SOUTHEASTERN MASONIC CONFERENCE**

Tampa, Florida, August 11, 12 and 13, 1966

(Docket No. 12)

The following report of the representatives to the Southeastern Masonic Conference was read and entered on the record:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

It was a pleasure of your Grand Master, together with R.'W.'. Brother Robert N. Bass, Jr., and our ladies, to attend this Conference. A most interesting program had been arranged by M.'W.'. William M. Hollis, Grand Master of Masons in Florida. Several subjects of vital importance to the Craft were on the agenda and were ably discussed by the distinguished brethren in attendance at this Conference. The Conference itself was most ably presided over by M.'W.'. Brother Hollis who was well prepared himself to speak on any of the subjects presented. The Conference was more largely attended than the one in Jackson, Mississippi, last year and it occurs to this Grand Master that this Conference can be made an outstanding event in the coming years.

Your Grand Master was honored by having the privilege of speaking to the entire Conference. My remarks were taped and will be copied and become a part of the minutes of the Conference, copies of which will be mailed to interested parties. The same applies to other topics discussed, therefore I shall not attempt to go into detail regarding these topics.

On behalf of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina, and in conformity with a resolution of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina, your Grand Master, together with R.'W.'. Brother Bass, Senior Grand Warden, extended an invitation for the Conference to meet in North Carolina in 1967. The Conference unanimously accepted this invitation and the dates have been set for August 3, 4 and 5 — the place: Grove Park Inn, Asheville, North Carolina. Reservations have already been made with Grove Park Inn to take care of this Conference. I sincerely hope that many of our brethren will avail themselves of the privilege and opportunity of attending this Conference in 1967. This Grand Jurisdiction is highly respected by the brethren of the Southeastern Masonic Conference. We should work continuously to improve this Conference and inasmuch as we will be hosts, we should show by our presence, and in every way possible, that we appreciate their high regard for our Grand Jurisdiction.

Respectfully submitted,
ARNOLD J. KOONCE
ROBERT N. BASS, JR.

**REPORT OF THE GRAND MASTER'S COMMITTEE
ON DEMOLAY**

(Docket No. 13)

The following report of the Grand Master's Committee on DeMolay was received, entered on the record and referred to the Committee on Finance:

To The Most Worshipful Grand Lodge:

We are extremely happy to prepare this report, as for the first time to our information, DeMolay in North Carolina ranked fifth in gains of new members, in the USA. To our Grand Master, M. W. Brother A. J. Koonce, M. W. Brother C. A. Harris, PGM, Grand Secretary, and M. W. Brother Robert Lee Pugh, PGM, we should like to express our sincere appreciation for all their efforts in behalf of DeMolay.

This past years' success depends greatly on the interest displayed by our Grand Lodge, both the York and Scottish Rites, and our two Shrine Temples. These Masons have gone forward in promoting DeMolay by their interest, and by attending local Chapters, State Association meetings, and the Grand Masters' Class.

We would like to commend Brother Neil Grimes, President of the State Association, his Officers, and the DeMolays that comprised the degree teams from Thomasville. Their work and the candidates at the Grand Masters' Class at High Point were excellent.

We would remind you that Dad O. Hal Hamby, retired at the end of the year as Executive Officer. Our new Executive Officer, Brother Sinclair Tebo, needs no introduction. We are very fortunate to have such a dedicated Mason. It has been a rewarding experience to have again been allowed to serve DeMolay and this Grand Lodge. We "Thank You." Now let each of us pledge to our new Grand Master that we will continue to serve wherever needed. DeMolay still needs local advisors, why not visit a Chapter and volunteer yourself.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM S. GALLIMORE, JR. *Chm.*

ELMORE V. BARNES

W. H. SIMPSON

C. O. BLAKE

CLYDE CAMPBELL

RESOLUTION OF COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

(Docket No. 14)

The following resolution of the Committee on Finance was read and unanimously adopted:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

RESOLVED, That the report of the Committee on Finance shall be the order of business at seven-thirty P.M., on Wednesday, April 19, 1967, immediately following the calling of the Grand Lodge from refreshment to labor, and

RESOLVED further, That all resolutions, motions, and reports asking for or carrying appropriations and expenditures shall be placed before the Grand Lodge before twelve o'clock noon, Wednesday, April 19, 1967, and

RESOLVED further, That all such matters offered after twelve o'clock noon, Wednesday, be carried over to the Annual Communication in 1968.

Respectfully submitted,

HARVEY W. SMITH, *Chairman*
Committee on Finance

**REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON
UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

(Docket No. 15)

The following report of the Committee on Unfinished Business was received and entered on the record:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

Your Committee wishes to report that there remains no unfinished business.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN R. BENDER, *M. D., Chairman*

**REPORT OF THE REPRESENTATIVE TO THE
MASONIC SERVICE ASSOCIATION OF THE
UNITED STATES**

(Docket No. 16)

M. W. Robert L. Pugh, P.G.M., Representative to the Masonic Service Association of the United States, presented the following report, which was read and entered on the record. The recommendation that the Grand Lodge continue its membership in the Masonic Service Association of the United States for the ensuing year was adopted *unanimously* and the matter of finances referred to the Committee on Finance:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

The Forty-Eighth Annual Meeting of The Masonic Service Association of the United States was held in the Diplomat Room of the Shoreham Hotel on February 23, 1967, beginning at nine-thirty o'clock in the morning in our nation's capital, Washington, D. C. Once again our North Carolina Masons had a particular interest in this meeting, as they had had in the sessions of the Grand Masters' Conference held on Monday and Tuesday of this same week. Interest in both of these sessions, or in the sessions of both of these organizations, had been intensified and appreciated more fully because of the fact that our own Grand Master, Most Worshipful Arnold J. Koonce, Sr., had taken a very prominent role into which he fitted himself with his customary ability and expressive genius.

During the Grand Masters' Conference, Most Worshipful Brother Koonce had served as the Chaplain for all of the sessions of the Conference. In invoking Divine aid and blessings upon each of the meetings, our Grand Master comported himself with dignity and inspiration. The wording of his prayers during these sessions was nothing less than masterful, and it was the consensus of the brethren, not only those from North Carolina, but from many of the other Grand Jurisdictions who were vocal in expressing themselves, that the prayers which our Grand Master uttered were deeply inspirational and very moving. North Carolina Masons had every reason to be proud of the manner in which our Grand Lodge was represented in this capacity.

Likewise in the program of the Masonic Service Association, our Grand Master brought the report from the Committee on Membership, and he comported himself in this capacity in his customary dignified manner.

Our brethren will be interested to know that the Masonic Service Association is now composed of 42 Grand Lodges, there still being 8 Grand Lodges who have not availed themselves of membership in the Association. The report of the Executive Commission was presented by Most Worshipful George W. Toft, Past Grand Master of South Dakota, who is Chairman of the Executive Commission. In this report Brother Toft enumerated in detail conditions of distress existing in certain areas of the world which had suffered as the result of natural calamities, and he described the part the Masonic Service Association had played in extending relief to these areas. The report also dealt with the preparation of printed material and of the distribution of this material by the M. S. A. All printed materials of the M. S. A. such as Digests, Short Talk Bulletins, programs, reports, etc., are distributed as issued to the Grand Masters, the Deputy Grand Masters, the Grand Secretaries, and to such District Deputies Grand Master, heads of committees and present and past Grand Lodge Officers as the Grand Masters in member Grand Jurisdictions have designated. If there are any lodges in North Carolina, or any members of lodges serving in any official capacity, not now receiving these printed materials, they may be put on the mailing list simply by giving their name and address to our Grand Master.

The M. S. A. also has a number of 16mm. sound pictures, four to be exact. These four are inspirational addresses which require a 16 mm. sound projector, and each one runs approximately thirty minutes. These films have become very popular and your lodge has only to request the use of them from the M. S. A. to have them available to you in a very short time. The M. S. A. is also planning to release a new film, the fifth, sometime in 1967.

The report goes into detail also on its magnificent humanitarian project of hospital visitation. This is one of our finest activities and is supported by contributions from the member Grand Lodges. By means of this program, our Masonic veterans who are confined to Veterans Hospitals now have the pleasure of knowing they are in constant contact with the Masonic brethren on the outside through the medium of the Masonic Hospital Visitor, who frequently visits their bedside. The Grand Lodges of the M. S. A., through the dedicated Field Agents who are our Hospital Visitors and their loyal volunteers, are carrying on this nationally-known, and appreciated service to mankind in some of the Veterans and other government hospitals. "The Masonic Service Man" is a title of great respect in those houses of healing. M. S. A. Field Agents are "image builders" of Masons as benevolent men.

There have been many requests for an enlargement of this program. Even in North Carolina there is still a need for the establishment of a program of Hospital Visitation for the Veterans Hospital in Durham. The M. S. A., however, does not have additional funds with which to meet this request. As a matter of fact, the M. S. A. to date is expending more money in North Carolina in furtherance of this Hospital Visitation Program than the Grand Lodge of North Carolina contributes to the M. S. A. for this purpose.

You are reminded again, however, of the fact that Masons do not have to depend upon paid hospital visitors to carry out a program of hospital visitation. The brethren in the Salisbury area have given a beautiful illustration of the truth of this statement, because they have organized a volunteer service in which the Blue Lodges of that area have assumed responsibility for visiting the Masonic veterans confined in the Veterans Hospital in Salisbury. This is a beautiful program and one which could be well emulated by the brethren in the Durham area.

With warfare now going on in Vietnam, the need for hospital visitation is constantly increasing, because casualties are arriving in stateside hospitals in growing numbers; the wounds received in guerrilla warfare are serious. Gunshot and shrapnel wounds are bad, but the deep lacerations inflicted by jungle knives and the ravages of tropical diseases are taking a heavy toll. We really need more hospital visitors to minister to these newer casualties. Age is also claiming its victims; more sick and infirm veterans of other wars are being hospitalized. The service needs to be expanded, but the Association is financially unable to provide for any further extensions of this very necessary program.

In North Carolina, for example, one visitor serves the veterans at Fort Bragg in Fayetteville and also in Camp Lejeune. This visitor, Brother William E. Whitman, is indefatigable in his labors, and he constantly visits the bedsides of our Masonic veterans. Brother Whitman has now completed 21 years of service in the Masonic Service Association as a Hospital Visitor. Last year, you will recall, he was presented with the 20-year service award.

The Veterans Hospital at Oteen is served by an official Hospital Visitor. And only the Veterans Hospital in Durham is now without any hospital visitation. Certainly it is to be hoped that the brethren in the Durham area will make some effort to organize a volunteer visitation program.

It is recommended that the Grand Lodge of North Carolina continue its membership in the Masonic Service Association with the payment of dues which has been in the amount of approximately \$1,550, and that we further continue our participation in the Hospital Visitation Program by allocating the sum of \$3,000 for this purpose in the budget for the coming year. Both of these items are the same amount that was provided in our budget for the preceding year.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT L. PUGH, *Representative*

REPORT OF THE REPRESENTATIVE TO THE GEORGE WASHINGTON MASONIC NATIONAL MEMORIAL ASSOCIATION

(Docket No. 17)

M. W. Robert L. Pugh, P.G.M., Representative to the George Washington Masonic National Memorial Association, presented the following report, which was adopted. The portion of the report having to do with finance was referred to the Committee on Finance:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

The George Washington Masonic National Memorial Association met on Shooters Hill in Alexandria, Virginia, Wednesday morning, February 22, 1967, at ten o'clock in the Memorial Auditorium with the President, John H. Hessey, Past Grand Master of Maryland, presiding. Brother Hessey was pleased to announce that the Memorial, in so far as utilization of the various floors is concerned, is now complete and that the Museum, which last year was a gift of the Scottish Rite Bodies of the Northern and Southern Jurisdictions, is now a reality; and that a good many items of Masonic value have now found a permanent repository in this Museum.

North Carolina had a very fine representation of its official life present at the meeting, headed of course by our Most Worshipful Grand Master.

During the meeting of the Association in 1966, North Carolina was represented by several of its Past Grand Masters, each of whom had participated in raising North Carolina's portion of what had become known as the Pennsylvania Plan. This plan had been completed during the early part of 1966, and the presentation of a check representing North Carolina's contribution in the amount of \$67,200 was made at that time.

It was encouraging to the brethren present for the 1967 session to learn that the Endowment Fund for the Memorial, to which we had made such a commendable effort, now equals approximately 50% of the total amount desired. The chairman stated that net assets in the Endowment Fund at the present time amount to \$2,496,162.49, whereas the total amount desired is \$5,000,000.

Masons of America have a tremendous investment in the George Washington Memorial, because its appraised value now exceeds \$14,000,000 in replacement costs, exclusive of land and of land improvements. Until the endowment goal of \$5,000,000 has been reached, the Memorial Association will continue to be in need of funds to maintain the Memorial. Last year North Carolina expressed its desire to continue its assistance in this respect. It was felt then, and the brethren continue to feel even more strongly, that we will have a feeling of closer relationship if we continue our participation in this great program, at least until the full amount of the endowment has been raised.

There is still so much work at the Memorial that needs to be done. Those who visit it are conscious of the needs that yet must be met, and surely, therefore, our pride in the Association and our love for this Memorial to the greatest Mason our country has produced demand that we continue to be a very vital part of its operation. It is recommended, therefore, that the Grand Lodge of North Carolina continue its appropriation in the same annual amount as heretofore.

The Memorial Association has released a very excellent film in sound and color, 16mm., describing the various compartments of the Memorial. The Grand Lodge of North Carolina now has a copy of this film for its permanent use. In a recent issue of *THE ORPHAN'S FRIEND AND MASONIC JOURNAL*, the brethren of North Carolina were informed that this film is now in the office of the Grand Lodge in Raleigh, and that it can be obtained merely by writing a

letter requesting its use. Return postage is all that will be required of any lodge. This film really is a tour of the Memorial, and those who have seen it are lavish in their praise of its accurate and beautiful description of the things to be found in this Memorial. The Blue Lodges of North Carolina are encouraged to avail themselves of the use of this film.

Respectfully submitted,
ROBERT L. PUGH, *Representative*

**REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT
OF THE MASONIC & EASTERN STAR HOME
OF NORTH CAROLINA, INC.**

(Docket No. 18)

Brother Troy G. Robbins, Superintendent of the Masonic and Eastern Star Home of North Carolina, Inc., presented the following report which was received and entered on the record:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

Six years ago the maximum number of Guests of the Home was fixed at 75. Today, the enrollment ceiling is set at 130, which is the number of residents we now have. This increased enrollment accounts for the fact that our per capita cost has only risen from \$4.25 to \$5.03 per day. \$1838.36 was the annual operating expense for each Guest. Our 1966 Operating Expense Budget totaled \$284,246.85 but the current budget amounts to \$321,965.80, which is but a 13% increase.

Recent passage of amendments to the Social Security Law gives the monthly minimum of \$35.00 to those of our Guests who have not worked the required number of quarters for participation in the Social Security Program, and who have reached the age of 72.

Since all Guests contribute two-thirds of their Social Security income to the Home, we received \$52,073.01 from them, \$73.05 from all sources other than Masonic, and these amounts were applied on the total Operating Expense before prorating the balance on a 60-40 basis. The Eastern Star's 40% share of the 1966 expenses was \$92,840.32 and the 60% paid by the Masons was \$139,260.47.

One hundred seventy-five Lodges gave more for the support of the Home in 1966 than for the previous year while one hundred twenty-three Lodges sent less. Forty Lodges sent no money to the Home last year while forty Lodges sent the same amount as during 1965. The total contributions from all Masonic Sources exclusive of the \$50,000.00 Grand Lodge appropriation was \$124,234.16.

After paying the 60% prorated operating expense we were able to apply \$34,973.69 left over from all 1966 Masonic income on the Masonic Share (60%) of our new building cost.

Following is a progress report on our 10-year expansion program which began in the Fall of 1964 with the construction of a new heating plant.

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STATUS OF EXPANSION PROGRAM

	Total Cost	Paid by Masons	Paid by Stars	Paid From Capl. Impr.	Paid From Budget
Boiler Plant	\$ 51,508.66	\$	\$	\$ 51,508.66	\$
Removal Water Tank	1,120.00			1,120.00	
Architect—Re Rooms					
Infirmary Basement	1,256.40			1,256.40	
Iuen — Architect Re					
Kitchen Equipment	922.50			922.50	
Kitchen-Dining Room					
and Laundry	303,045.15	150,000.00	100,000.00	53,045.15	
New Residence Wing	329,874.91	197,924.95	131,949.96		
Furniture & Fixtures	54,584.05				54,584.05
Fire Alarm System	6,300.00			6,300.00	
New Sewer Line	3,126.59			3,126.59	
TOTAL	\$751,736.26	\$347,924.95	\$231,949.96	\$117,277.30	\$54,584.05

On Thursday before Easter Sunday we began using our new dining room and kitchen. During December we admitted 20 Guests into our new residence wing.

All our buildings have an installed sprinkler system and in addition we have an emergency fire alarm tied in with the central fire station of the Greensboro Fire Department.

At this writing, 29 approved applicants are on our waiting list. It is our hope that we will be able to serve them and others and in so doing, every North Carolina Mason will be fulfilling his Masonic obligation.

Respectfully submitted,
REV. TROY G. ROBBINS
Superintendent

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON THE MASONIC AND EASTERN STAR HOME

(Docket No. 19)

The following report of the Committee on the Masonic and Eastern Star Home was presented and entered on the record:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

Your Committee on the Masonic and O.E.S. Home met at the Home on February 4, 1967. We examined the data Pertaining to the Budget and were heartened by the increased interest of the Masons in North Carolina. Their 1966 donations exceeded last year's contributions by approximately 11% or \$12,318.00. This is gratifying but to meet our obligations at the enlarged Home and due to the increased costs of food, material and labor, we recommend a concerted effort be expended to increase our giving collectively in 1967 by 20% over 1966. We are confident this will be done if every individual Mason in North Carolina is made aware of the excellent performance of the personnel at the Home, the fine new facilities they have there, and the expanded needs at the Home. More guests naturally mean more expense. To this end and due to the increased responsibilities now saddled upon the superintendent at the Home, as Superintendent and Publicity Agent, we strongly recommend that in order to get the message of the Home to each individual Mason in North Carolina:

(1) The Superintendent of the Home extend a special invitation to each new D.D.G.M. to visit the Home for a briefing on what they have at the Home and what its needs are. This would include inspection of the Home and its operation and lunch with the Guests.

(2) Further that the Grand Master encourage the D.D.G.M. visit to the Home in his letter of appointment so that it ultimately becomes a requirement before granting the letter of Past D.D.G.M.

(3) That a noted journalist be hired to write a story about our Home for release to the various news media subscribed to by North Carolina Masons.

(4) For ultimate financial support required by our enlarged Home, engage the services of a full-time Public Relations Officer. This would take this load off the Superintendent of the Home and permit him to give full time attention to the guests and operation of the Home.

We toured the old and new buildings, visited with the guests, and had lunch with them. We received several unsolicited comments from satisfied and grateful guests. They appeared happy, contented and even mentioned the fine food and dining facilities provided by you Masons. These compliments coming from these elderly people of the Home speaks well for the staff and their considered operation of the Home.

In closing we compliment W. Bro. Robbins and his entire staff on what we saw and what we heard. It made us realize how fortunate we Masons in North Carolina are to have such a dedicated staff to care for our elderly.

Respectfully submitted,
ROBERT A. CULLER, *Chairman*
A. EDWARD FEY
C. BRADLEY WILLIS, JR.
SINCLAIR TEBB
JULIAN W. HELMS

RESOLUTION TO AMEND THE CODE

(Docket No. 20)

(Note: This amendment was adopted. See Report of the Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence on Page 129 Docket No. 42 of these Proceedings.)

The following resolution of the Board of General Purposes to amend THE CODE at Regulation 95-31 was read by M. W. Brother Robert L. Pugh, P. G. M. and referred to the Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence and Committee on Finance on unanimous approval of the Grand Lodge:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

BE IT RESOLVED that regulation 95-31 be deleted in its entirety and substitute in lieu thereof the following:

The aprons of the officers of the Grand Lodge and Past Grand Masters may be of lambskin, leather, or cloth, with belt or tie cords, lining, borders, and tabs of purple for the Grand Master and Past Grand Masters, and royal blue for all other officers; aprons, tabs, and flap, trimmed with gold bullion; with the emblem of the officer or Past Grand Master embroidered on the body of the apron with gold bullion; the apron of the Grand Master or a Past Grand Master may be decorated by a wreath embroidered in the borders in gold bullion. See regulations 95-36 and 95-37 for designs of these aprons.

Metal collars for all persons designated in this regulation shall have a color background to match the corresponding apron and shall be of a design approved by the Board of General Purposes.

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE CODE

(Docket No. 21)

(Note: These amendments were adopted. See Report of the Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence on Page 129 Docket No. 42 of these Proceedings.)

The following proposed amendments to THE CODE were read by M. W. Brother W. Edward Burrier, P.G.M., and referred to the Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence on unanimous approval of the Grand Lodge:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

REGULATION 33-01

Under Reg. 33-01(1) entitled Boards, and

C. The Board of Publications

To amend Reg. 33-01 (3N) to add under Committees as follows:

N. On Permanent Building

REGULATION 38

To add a new Section under Reg. 38 to be designated and numbered 38-19, to read as follows:

The Board of Publications shall consist of five members with staggered terms of from one to five years, to be chosen by The Board of General Purposes, as follows: one for five years, one for four years, one for three years, one for two years, and one for one year, their successors to be chosen for five years. It shall be the duty of this Committee to establish the policies of the publication, to select the editor, who in turn will select his staff, to fix the compensation of the editor and his staff, and in general to have charge and supervision of the publication.

To add another Section under Reg. 38 to be designated Reg. 38-20 to read as follows:

The Committee on Permanent Building shall consist of three members with staggered terms of from one to three years, to be appointed by the Grand Master, as follows: one for three years, one for two years, and one for one year and their successors to be appointed for three year terms. This Committee shall have general charge and supervision of the Grand Lodge Building, furnishings, equipment

and grounds, and shall have under its charge and supervision the upkeep, maintenance and preservation of the same. In matters of consequence and before expending any sizable sum the consent and approval of the Grand Lodge shall first be obtained.

REGULATION 74-01

To amend Reg. 74-01 by adding sub-division 13-A to read as follows:

A. If his citizenship has not been restored in the event it was lost by such conviction and sentence.

To add another section under Regulation 74-01 to be designated 74-01 (15) and 74-01 (15A) as follows:

15. Not have been either undesirably or dishonorably discharged from the Armed Forces of the United States.

15. A. If separation from the Armed Forces was under either of the above classifications, satisfactory evidence must be submitted to verify the discharge has been changed by legal authority to at least a General Discharge.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE NORTH CAROLINA MASONIC FOUNDATION, INC.

(Docket No. 22)

The following report of the Board of Directors of the North Carolina Masonic Foundation, Incorporated, was read, received, entered on the record, and referred to the Committee on Finance:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

The Board of Directors of the North Carolina Masonic Foundation, Inc., respectfully presents the following balance sheets, report of assets and liabilities, and reports of income and disbursements of the Permanent Fund, the Drewry Memorial Grand Secretary's Fund, the B. F. Moore Legacy, and the Taylor Grant Fund, for each of which the Foundation is the Custodian, and which constitutes its entire business for the calendar year ending December 31, 1966, as reported by the First-Citizens Bank & Trust Company, of Raleigh, Trustee for the Foundation.

Due to the resignation of Brother Watson N. Sherrod, President of the Corporation, a special meeting of the Board was held on June 10, 1966 at which time Brother Sam A. Hennis, Jr. was elected President and Brother Henry L. Bridges was elected Vice-President. Brothers Hennis, Bridges and Alfred A. Kafer, Jr. were elected members of the Investment Committee.

The Annual meeting of the Board of Directors was held on March 10, 1967 at which time Brother Henry L. Bridges was elected President, Brother Sam A. Hennis, Jr., was elected Vice-President, and Brother Charles A. Harris was elected Secretary-Treasurer. Brothers Bridges, Hennis, and Kafer were re-elected members of the Investment Committee.

Respectfully submitted,
HENRY L. BRIDGES, *President*

**THE GRAND LODGE OF A. F. & A. M. OF NORTH CAROLINA
PERMANENT FUND BALANCE SHEET**

December 31, 1966

EXHIBIT "D"

ASSETS

CASH:

On Deposit—First Citizens Bank & Trust Company.....	\$	493.51
Held by First Citizens Bank & Trust Company, Trustee:		
Income Account	\$	2,278.81
Principal Account		20,065.27
Income Accumulation Account		193.74
Principal Accumulation Account.....		2,578.00
Savings Account		8,631.65
U. S. Treasury Bills		17,679.35
		<u>51,426.82</u>

Total Cash

51,920.33

INVESTMENTS (Held by First-Citizens Bank & Trust Company, Trustee):

U. S. Government Bonds	517,571.69
Corporate Bonds	260,980.50
Common Stocks	629,985.32
Savings & Loan Shares	72,500.00
	<u>1,481,037.51</u>

Total Investments

1,481,037.51

OFFICE EQUIPMENT (Steel Files)

355.89

Total Assets

\$1,533,313.73

LIABILITIES AND SURPLUS

LIABILITIES (Note 1)

\$ None

SURPLUS:

Balance—January 1, 1966	\$1,535,028.63
Net Operating Income for the Year (Exhibit E)	50,372.22
Gains and (Losses) from Sale of Securities—Net	(18,180.04)
Cash Received from The Grand Lodge	20,000.00
Sale of Rights and Fractional Shares	137.23
Adjustment of Cost of Common Stock	(3.65)
	<u>1,587,354.39</u>

Total	1,587,354.39
Less Earnings Remitted to The Grand Lodge	54,040.66
	<u>1,533,313.73</u>

Total Surplus

1,533,313.73

Total Liabilities and Surplus

\$1,533,313.73

Note 1: The liability for commissions earned by First-Citizens Bank & Trust Company for six months ended December 31, 1966 has not been recorded.

**THE GRAND LODGE OF A. F. & A. M. OF NORTH CAROLINA
PERMANENT FUND INCOME AND EXPENSE**

Year Ended December 31, 1966

EXHIBIT "E"

INCOME:

Interest and Dividends Received	\$68,293.38
Less Purchase of Accrued Interest on	
U. S. Treasury Bonds	16,202.36
	<u>52,091.02</u>

Adjusted Gross Income (Note 1)

\$52,091.02

EXPENSE:

Trustee's Commissions	
(Year Ended 6-30-66)	1,492.29
Professional Fee	200.00
Travel (Board Members)	25.80
Intangible Property Tax (Bank Account) ..	.55
Bank Charges16
	<u>1,718.80</u>

Total Expense

1,718.80

NET INCOME FOR THE YEAR

\$50,372.22

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Note 1: Income shown herein was recorded on a cash-basis method of accounting. In order to make a meaningful comparison with prior years, it would be necessary to convert each year to an accrual method of accounting.

THE GRAND LODGE OF A. F. & A. M. OF NORTH CAROLINA DREWRY MEMORIAL GRAND SECRETARY'S FUND

BALANCE SHEET

December 31, 1966

EXHIBIT "F"

ASSETS

CASH:

Held by First-Citizens Bank & Trust Company, Trustee:

Savings Account	\$ 2,138.93
Income Account	281.75
Principal Account .....	.18
Income Accumulation Account	19.97
Principal Accumulation Account	333.00

Total Cash \$ 2,773.83

INVESTMENTS HELD BY TRUSTEE:

Common Stocks	53,279.68
Fixed Income Common Trust Fund Units	44,287.89

Total Investments 97,567.57

Total Assets \$100,341.40

LIABILITIES AND SURPLUS

LIABILITIES:

Balance Due The Grand Lodge (From Principal Account)	\$ 561.31
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SURPLUS:

Balance—January 1, 1966	\$ 99,244.76
Interest and Dividends Received	3,676.57
Gain from Sale of Securities	590.66

Total 103,511.99

Less Income Remitted to the Grand Lodge .. 3,731.90

Total Surplus 99,780.09

Total Liabilities and Surplus \$100,341.40

THE GRAND LODGE OF A. F. & A. M. OF NORTH CAROLINA B. F. MOORE LEGACY FUND

BALANCE SHEET

December 31, 1966

EXHIBIT "G"

ASSETS

CASH:

First-Citizens Bank & Trust Company, Trustee	\$ 21.25
U. S. TREASURY BOND—4.25% Due 5-15-74	1,000.00

Total Assets held by Trustee \$1,021.25

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LIABILITIES AND SURPLUS

LIABILITIES ----- \$ None
 SURPLUS:

Balance—January 1, 1966-----\$1,021.50
 Interest Received----- 42.50

Total -----\$1,064.00
 Less Earnings Remitted to Oxford Orphanage--- 42.75

Total Surplus----- 1,021.25

Total Liabilities and Surplus----- \$1,021.25

THE GRAND LODGE OF A. F. & A. M. OF NORTH CAROLINA
TAYLOR GRANT FUND
BALANCE SHEET

December 31, 1966

EXHIBIT "H"

ASSETS

CASH:

Savings Account—Raleigh Savings & Loan
 Association, Raleigh, North Carolina----- \$ 920.21

Total Assets----- \$ 920.21

LIABILITIES AND SURPLUS

LIABILITIES ----- \$ None
 SURPLUS:

Balance—January 1, 1966-----\$ 882.03
 Interest Earned----- 38.18

Total Surplus----- 920.21

Total Liabilities and Surplus----- \$ 920.21

PETITION OF CHEROKEE LODGE NO. 146
FOR A DUPLICATE CHARTER

(Docket No. 23)

The following petition of Cherokee Lodge No. 146, A. F. & A. M. for a duplicate charter was presented and referred to the Committee on Charters and Dispensations:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

We the officers and members of Cherokee Lodge No. 146, A. F. & A. M. of Murphy, North Carolina, do hereby respectfully request that we be issued a DUPLICATE CHARTER in lieu of the Charter which was destroyed by fire when Cherokee Lodge was totally destroyed by fire.

(Note: Petition granted. SEE report of Committee on Charters and Dispensations on Page 129, Docket No. 41 of these Proceedings. SEE facsimile of Duplicate Charter in APPENDIX to these Proceedings.)

**REPORT OF THE BOARD OF GENERAL PURPOSES
ON THE MEETING PLACE FOR THE
ANNUAL COMMUNICATION IN 1968**

(Docket No. 23-A)

An invitation was received by the Board of General Purposes from St. John's Lodge No. 3, Doric Lodge No. 568, Berne Lodge No. 724 and Grantham Lodge No. 725 to meet in the city of New Bern for the Annual Communication in 1968, and after careful consideration the Board voted to recommend to this Annual Communication that the invitation from the New Bern lodges be accepted.

(A motion was made, seconded and carried unanimously, that the 1968 Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge be held in New Bern.)

**REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE
ON REMOVAL OF HOLLIS LODGE NO. 535**

(Docket No. 24)

The following report of the Special Committee on the removal of Hollis Lodge No. 535 was read by W. Brother Berl M. Kahn, *Grand Marshal* and referred to the Committee on Charters and Dispensations:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

Pursuant to resolution adopted by the Grand Lodge of North Carolina at its Annual Meeting in 1966 (docket No. 40, 1966 Proceedings of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina, pp. 131-132) the undersigned Committee was appointed by Most Worshipful Grand Master Arnold J. Koonce, Sr., to meet with Mooresboro Lodge No. 388 which he ordered to hold an emergent communication on Monday, November 28, 1966 and with Hollis Lodge No. 535 which he ordered to hold an emergent communication on Tuesday, November 29, 1966, and with Mooresboro Lodge No. 388 again on Wednesday, November 30, 1966, which he ordered to hold a second emergent communication with the officers and members of Hollis Lodge No. 535 attending said meeting, for the purpose of discussing and agreeing, if possible, on a satisfactory settlement of the existing controversy between the two lodges. The undersigned committee appointed by the Grand Master met with the respective lodges on the dates designated. Most Worshipful Grand Master Arnold J. Koonce, Sr. also attended and presided at said meetings.

In addition to the foregoing emergent communications, the Grand Master and the committee met with several interested Masonic Brethren from neighboring lodges and districts at lunch on Tuesday, November 29th.

The committee and the Grand Master listened with patience to every brother who had any comment to make on the subject, examined the maps of the areas involved, inspected the old school building in which Hollis Lodge met prior to its temporary removal to Ellenboro and toured the area surrounding the two lodges in question. Based upon what it saw and heard, the committee makes the following findings of fact:

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1. That in the summer of 1963, members of the Mooresboro Lodge learned that Hollis Lodge was meeting in Ellenboro, North Carolina.

2. That upon investigation, Mooresboro Lodge learned that Hollis Lodge had been granted a special dispensation to meet on a temporary basis in Ellenboro, which lies within the jurisdiction of the Mooresboro Lodge, and that Hollis Lodge has in fact been meeting in Ellenboro for several years.

3. That for a number of years both Mooresboro and Hollis Lodge, upon request, have freely granted waivers of jurisdiction for petitioners residing within the jurisdiction of one lodge to petition the other lodge.

4. That the lodge room in which the Hollis Lodge formerly met is located within an old, abandoned school building without sewerage facilities, owned by Mr. Pat Mooney.

5. That the building is unfit for occupation without substantial renovations and improvement.

6. That the owner of the building will not lease the building except upon a year to year basis.

7. That Hollis Lodge would be required to make all necessary expenditure for the necessary improvement to the property except for the installation of an electric pump in an existing well.

8. That the expense necessary to put the building in condition so that it may be used for lodge purposes would be prohibitive.

9. That the Hollis Lodge and its entire jurisdiction lies within Rutherford County.

10. That a majority of the membership of Hollis Lodge reside in the southern part of the jurisdiction of Hollis Lodge.

11. That the territory in and around Hollis and to the north thereof is sparsely populated.

12. That a majority of the membership of Hollis Lodge has expressed a desire to relocate in the southern part of its jurisdiction.

13. That Hollis Lodge has acquired about one and one-half (1½) acres of land in the Walls Church community which lies about three and one-half (3½) miles north of Ellenboro.

14. That Hollis Lodge desires to build on said tract of land and to relocate in the Walls Church community.

15. That Mooresboro Lodge, at a stated communication, has agreed to accept a relocation of the Hollis Lodge in the Walls Church community if the Grand Lodge of North Carolina approves such relocation, and to the establishment of a jurisdictional line by metes and bounds which are defined in the report between the Mooresboro Lodge and the Hollis Lodge as follows:

BEGINNING at the junction of Road No. 1763 with Road No. 1762 and runs thence with Road No. 1762 to the junction of Road No. 1764; thence with Road No. 1764 to the junction of Road No. 1765; thence with Road No. 1765 to the junction of Road No. 1749; thence with Road No. 1749 to the intersection of Road No. 1793; thence with Road No. 1793 to the junction of Road No. 1776; thence with Road No. 1776 to the junction of Road No. 1007 the point of TERMINATION.

Based upon the foregoing findings of fact, your committee is of the opinion that it will be for the best interest of Masonry for Hollis Lodge and RECOMMENDS that Hollis Lodge be permitted to relocate in the Walls Church community on the property which it has acquired; that Hollis Lodge be allowed to retain all of its existing jurisdictional boundaries between all adjacent lodges except that the line between the Hollis Lodge and the Mooresboro Lodge and that the jurisdictional boundary between the said Mooresboro and Hollis Lodges be established by metes and bounds as herein above set forth.

By way of further explanation, the committee reports that it has contacted all lodges whose territory adjoins that of Hollis Lodge and that each lodge has expressed approval of the foregoing recommendation and that your committee is of the opinion that unless the recommendation is accepted, Hollis Lodge may be compelled to surrender its Charter and that Masonry in general and Hollis Lodge in particular may suffer as a result thereof.

Respectfully submitted,

BERL M. KAHN, *Chairman*

WILLIAM L. MILLS, JR.

ROBERT P. DUDLEY

RESOLUTION OF BOARD OF PUBLICATION

(Docket No. 25)

(Note: This resolution adopted. See Final Report of the Board of General Purposes, Docket No. 50, Page 145 of these Proceedings.)

The following resolution of the Board of Publication was read by M. W. Brother Robert L. Pugh, P. G. M.; received and entered on the record; and referred to the Board of General Purposes and to the Committee on Finance:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

WHEREAS, The Grand Lodge of A. F. & A. M. of North Carolina in its Annual Communication held in Winston-Salem in April, 1966, approved a resolution authorizing the appointment of a Grand Lodge Publications Committee to be charged with the responsibility of issuing monthly a Masonic publication of a certain specific size to be distributed to every Master Mason whose membership is in a North Carolina Blue Lodge, and

WHEREAS, the committee charged with this responsibility was subsequently appointed by the Board of General Purposes and has held several meetings relative to the issuance of the publication as set forth in the approved resolution, and

WHEREAS, this committee has made considerable satisfactory progress in taking care of many of the details involved in such a publication, NOW BE it found itself confronted with certain organizational factors which, as set forth in the initial resolution, would react to the financial detriment of the Grand Lodge and would not at the same time produce a publication which the committee feels would be practical at this time,

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of Publication of *The North Carolina Mason* that approval be given by the Grand Lodge of A. F. & A. M. of North Carolina to the following corrective request:

1. That responsibility for the printing, publishing, and distributing of *The North Carolina Mason* be handled by the Board of Publication in such a manner as would reflect a wise and jealous regard and concern by the committee for the funds made available for the publication.

2. That instead of the sixteen page magazine type of publication as required in the initial resolution, the committee shall initially give its consideration to an eight page magazine type measuring approximately 9 X 12 inches, but that it also have the privilege with due regard and concern for all of the elements involved in the publication to make whatever changes it may deem advisable and necessary.

3. Since the first publication of *The North Carolina Mason* has been planned for issuance on January 15, 1968, the committee requests that an allocation of \$1,000.00 be made available to cover administrative and other costs which will be involved prior to January 1, 1968, and for which provisions should be made in the budget being approved at this Annual Communication.

4. That the name of this Publication Committee shall be changed and shall be known hereafter as "The Board of Publication of The North Carolina Mason."

RESOLUTION BY BOARD OF GENERAL PURPOSES RE 250TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE GRAND LODGE OF ENGLAND

(Docket No. 26)

The following resolution by the Board of General Purposes was read by M. W. Brother Charles A. Harris, P.G. M., *Grand Secretary* and was adopted. The portion of this resolution pertaining to finance was referred to the Committee on Finance:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

WHEREAS, The Grand Lodge of England, the mother Grand Lodge of the world, is this year celebrating the 250th anniversary of its birth as a symbolic Grand Lodge; and

WHEREAS, This is an occasion of tremendous significance which will be recognized by Grand Lodges throughout the world in many different ways; and

WHEREAS, Even though there will be limitations on space availability in London, the Grand Lodge of England nevertheless has seen fit to be generous in the invitations extended to all of the Grand Jurisdictions in general, but especially to the thirteen original colonies in the United States; and

WHEREAS, its generous and liberal recognition of the original thirteen American colonies expressed itself in a gracious and personal invitation to the Grand Master, the Deputy Grand Master, the Grand

Secretary, and the Grand Representative of the Grand Lodge of England in North Carolina to be present for the anniversary celebration; therefore

BE IT RESOLVED, By the Board of General Purposes that a recommendation be made to the Grand Lodge of North Carolina to give significant recognition to the gracious invitation extended by the Grand Lodge of England by memorializing in all of the Blue Lodges in North Carolina the debt of gratitude we owe to our mother Grand Lodge of England; that we furthermore acknowledge that debt in a concrete way by expressing our deep appreciation to the Grand Lodge of England in the designation of the four persons to whom the invitation has been extended as the official representatives of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina to attend the anniversary celebration being held in London, England; that, to facilitate the attendance of these representatives, the Grand Lodge shall allocate a sufficient amount to provide for the expenses incident thereto.

RESOLUTION OF GOLDSBORO LODGE NO. 634 RE OFFICIAL STANDARDS OF THE WORK

(Docket No. 27)

(Note: This Resolution adopted. See Report of the Board of Custodians, Page 123, Docket No. 40 of these Proceedings.)

The following resolution of Goldsboro Lodge No. 634 was read by W. Brother Robert P. Dudley and referred to the Board of Custodians:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

As you know, it has been the practice in the past several years to issue subordinate lodges extra OSW's as needed not to exceed a total of five copies. This was authorized by the Grand Lodge in 1962, at which time they placed responsibility for this function in the hands of the Board of Custodians. The Board of Custodians was charged to make the determination as to whether such extra copies should or should not be issued.

Our lodge has recently encountered difficulties in obtaining extra copies of the OSW. We subsequently requested that the Board of Custodians authorize the issue of same, however this request was denied. We were informed that extra copies of the OSW would no longer be issued. Unfortunately, with the press of time and the Grand Lodge meeting impending, we have not had sufficient time to get a complete explanation for denial of our request.

While we can sympathize with the difficulty in issuing and controlling a large number of manuals, and while we accept the fact that this would be an expensive operation, we cannot feel that this decision is a proper one. The Alpha and Omega of Masonic work rests in the ritual. To go even further, the ritual is not only the beginning and the end but accounts for most of the true values in between these two extremes. Since the ritual is the technique used to teach basic philosophy and concepts, it is in reality the heart of the Masonic Order.

We feel that no matter what the problems, this capability of education should in no way be diminished. To do so is to become so entangled with satellited causes and programs as to detract from the

most basic need. It is like investing twelve million dollars in a supermarket and then hiring only one cashier because to hire more would bring about problems of increased salaries, and purchases of cash registers. We have millions of dollars and millions of manhours invested in our fraternity. For the sake of minor difficulties, are we to sacrifice the proficiency on the ritual. Emphatically not, we **MUST** get the OSW in the hands of non-officer members who need to know.

It would be better to take whatever action is necessary even if this includes employing additional persons in the Grand Secretary's office rather than let this most important of all needs go unmet. To do otherwise is to chip away at the very cornerstone of our fraternity.

Overly stringent restrictions on issuing OSW's, if continued, will eventually erode the proficiency of all the lodges. With that thought in mind the matter was presented to Goldsboro Lodge No. 634. Every member at that meeting voted in favor of having the following resolution introduced at this Grand Lodge meeting.

"Whereas the Board of Custodians has the authority to authorize the issuance of additional copies of the official standard of the work;
and

"Whereas, the official standard of the work is the foundation upon which the ritual is built;

and

"Whereas, this being a matter of such great impact, problems of administration and/or expense should not be considered sufficient to detract from this capability,

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED

That the Grand Lodge instruct the Board of Custodians to issue at least three extra copies of the OSW to all requesting subordinate lodges."

REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF RETIREMENT PROGRAM

(Docket No. 28)

The following report of the Trustees of the Retirement Program was read by W. Brother Robert P. Dudley, received and entered on the record:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

The Trustees of the Grand Lodge Retirement Program implemented the Retirement Program adopted by the Grand Lodge during its last Annual Session immediately after the close of the Grand Lodge. This program pertaining to the Employees of the Grand Lodge was placed with Security Life and Trust Company with an effective date of January 1, 1966.

The portion of the program pertaining to Most Worshipful Brother Charles A. Harris, Grand Secretary, was implemented and a savings account was opened with the most attractive interest rate in the name of the Trustees at First Citizens Bank and Trust Company, Raleigh, North Carolina, for Brother Harris' retirement.

Worshipful Brother William T. Hatch was engaged by the Trustees to draw up all the necessary papers and documents which were required and to submit them to the United States Internal Revenue Service for approval. As of this date, the program has not been

approved, but all requirements have been met and approval is expected within the next month or six weeks. Worshipful Brother Walter A. Watts, the Accountant for the Grand Lodge has been kept fully informed of all transactions in order to acquaint him with this program and to insure that proper annual reports are sent to the Internal Revenue Service.

We feel the establishment of this Retirement Program was greatly needed and will prove very beneficial to the Grand Lodge in years to come. We might add, all employees have expressed their thanks for this generous gesture on the part of the Grand Lodge.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES W. BREWER, P.G.M., GT

WILLIAM A. HOOKS, J.G.W.

ROBERT P. DUDLEY

RESOLUTION OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE APPOINTED BY THE BOARD OF GENERAL PURPOSES

(Docket No. 29)

The following resolution of the Special Committee appointed by the Board of General Purposes was read by M. W. Brother G. Dudley Humphrey, P.G.M., received, entered on the record and adopted:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

WHEREAS, the income of the North Carolina Masonic Foundation, Incorporated, under the terms of its charter is to be used for charitable and educational purposes, and,

WHEREAS the Oxford Orphanage and the Masonic and Eastern Star Home of North Carolina, Incorporated, are worthy objects of our charity,

BE IT RESOLVED: That the Directors of the North Carolina Masonic Foundation, Incorporated, be requested to pay in equal proportions the income from all funds in its custody or possession, not otherwise provided for under the terms of any gift, devise, bequest or trust agreement, to the Oxford Orphanage, whose Superintendent is A. DeLeon Gray, and to the Masonic and Eastern Star Home of North Carolina, Incorporated, in such amounts as the Directors of the aforesaid Foundation, in their discretion, may determine.

WILLIAM J. BUNDY, P.G.M.

WILLIAM L. MILLS, Jr., *Grand Steward*

WILLIAM T. HATCH, P.M.

G. DUDLEY HUMPHREY, P.G.M.

PETITION FOR RESTORATION OWEN EARL JENKINS, JR., NONAFFILIATED

(Docket No. 30)

The Petition for Restoration of Owen Earl Jenkins, Jr., formerly a member of LaFayette Lodge No. 83, Jacksonville, North Carolina, was read and referred to the Committee on

peals. (Note: This application approved. SEE report of the of the Committee on Appeals on Page 119, Docket No. 38 of these Proceedings for action taken thereon.)

**PETITION FOR RESTORATION
SIMEON TESS ENZOR (F.C.), NONAFFILIATED**

(Docket No. 31)

The Petition for Restoration of Simeon Tess Enzor, a Fellow Craft of Fair Bluff Lodge No. 190, Fair Bluff, North Carolina, was read and referred to the Committee on Appeals. (Note: This application approved. SEE report of the Committee on Appeals on Page 119, Docket No. 38 of these Proceedings for action taken thereon.)

**PETITION FOR RESTORATION
CARL RUSSELL KNIGHT, NONAFFILIATED**

(Docket No. 32)

The Petition for Restoration of Carl Russell Knight, formerly a member of Hamlet Lodge No. 532, Hamlet, North Carolina, was read and referred to the Committee on Appeals. (Note: This application approved. SEE report of the Committee on Appeals on Page 119, Docket No. 38 of these Proceedings for action taken thereon.)

**PETITION FOR RESTORATION
JIMMY RAY WOOD, NONAFFILIATED**

(Docket No. 33)

The Petition for Restoration of Jimmy Ray Wood, formerly a member of Greensboro Lodge No. 76, Greensboro, North Carolina, was read and referred to the Committee on Appeals. (Note: This application approved. SEE report of the Committee on Appeals on Page 119, Docket No. 38 of these Proceedings for action taken thereon.)

CALLED FROM LABOR TO REFRESHMENT

The minutes were read and approved. Prayer was offered by W. Brother William S. Teachey, Grand Chaplain, and the Grand Lodge was called from Labor to Refreshment until 9:30 a.m. on Wednesday, April 19, 1967, in Memorial Auditorium, in the City of Raleigh.

SECOND DAY—MORNING SESSION

The Grand Lodge was called from Refreshment to Labor at 9:30 a.m., on Wednesday, April 19, 1967, in Memorial Auditorium, Fayetteville Street, Raleigh, North Carolina, by M. W. Brother Arnold Jackson Koonce, Sr., Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina. Prayer was offered by W. Brother William S. Teachey, Grand Chaplain. The minutes of the previous session were read for information.

PROGRAM—MEMORIAL SERVICE

W. Brother A. D. LEON GRAY, *Acting Chairman*
Assisted By

W. WILLIAM S. TEACHEY, *Grand Chaplain*

W. TROY G. ROBBINS, *Assistant Grand Chaplain*

M. W. WILLIAM J. BUNDY, *P.G.M.*

W. MAURICE E. WALSH, *Senior Grand Deacon*

W. WILLIAM W. MIMS, *Junior Grand Deacon*

W. BERL M. KAHN, *Grand Marshal*

W. NATHANIEL C. DEAN, *Grand Steward*

W. WILLIAM L. MILLS, JR., *Grand Steward*

Organist: W. PEYTON J. BROWN

MEMORIAL SERVICE

(Docket No. 34)

PROCESSIONAL:**THE CALL TO REMEMBRANCE:**

Lord, thou hast been our refuge, from one generation to another.
Before the mountains were brought forth, or ever the earth and
the world were made, thou are God from everlasting, and
world without end.

So teach us to number our days, that we may apply our hearts
unto wisdom.

INVOCATION:

Praise be thou, O Eternal our God, Ruler of the world. Thy word
callesth forth the evening twilight, thy wisdom openeth the gates of
heaven so that morning shall alternate with eventide. In human life,
too, thou hast ordained that the daylight of joy shall follow the night
of sorrow. Thy wisdom hath established the succession of life and
death, of grief and hope. All things change but thou alone changest
not. Thou abidest to all eternity. Amen.

MEMORIAL AFFIRMATION: TROY G. ROBBINS

Let us now praise famous men, and our fathers that begat us;
in whom the Lord showed forth His glory, His mighty power in the
days of old.

Men who bore dominion in the earth, and men famous for their
might; giving counsel by their wisdom, and speaking with prophetic
power; Statesmen who were as Princes of the people, and leaders
trusted for their insight;

Sure were the words of their instruction, and their sayings as wise proverbs; Such as sought our pleasant music, and fashioned songs in skillful rhymes; Men of resource and furnished with strength, dwelling peaceably in their habitations.

All these were honored in their generation, and had glory in their day. There be some of them that have left a name behind them and their praises still continue.

And some there be that have no memorial, who are forgotten as though they had not been.

Nevertheless they were men of mercy, and their righteous deeds have not been in vain.

For they left a good inheritance to their seed, and their children are their testament.

Their seed shall remain forever, and their glory shall not be blotted out. Their bodies were buried in peace, but their name liveth to all generations. The assembly shall account their wisdom, and the congregation shall tell of their praise.

JOHN WALLACE WINBORNE

Eulogy Presented by

M. W. WILLIAM J. BUNDY, P. G. M.

It is not an easy thing to portray properly and adequately the life and character of a man. His deeds themselves are his life; his life portrays his character. The life of M. W. Brother John Wallace Winborne speaks eloquently of the kind of man he was: strong and sturdy, diligent and thorough, a man of integrity of mind and purpose, wise and calm, a good man and Mason. It is said that the highest compliment that can be paid a man is emulation. This great and good man was so complimented.

He was completely without affectation, sham or pretense; he was himself, in his relations with his fellowman, in his work and labors, in his viewpoint on life here and hereafter.

M. W. Brother Winborne was the Senior Past Grand Master of this Grand Lodge at his death. He served as Grand Master in 1931, beyond the ken of many of you here. But he left a rich heritage; older Masons speak of him today. He became a Mason in 1917, a Knight Templar in 1920, and a Shriner in Oasis Temple the same year. He was District Deputy Grand Master of the 44th District in 1921 and 1922. In 1923 he was appointed Grand Steward by Grand Master Hubert M. Poteat, serving with distinction in the several offices in the Grand Lodge, and with marked distinction as Grand Master. Thereafter for many, many years, until his duties on the Supreme Court and his health would not permit he served many Grand Lodge Boards and Committees.

Justice Winborne, as he was called, because of his long and distinguished service on the Supreme Court of North Carolina, was active in civic, business, political and religious life of the State. He served on various boards of directors of private corporations. He was a devoted member of the Episcopal Church, and served on its official board.

M. W. Brother Winborne had the distinction of being selected by and serving under two Governors: J. C. B. Ehringhaus and Clyde



JOHN WALLACE WINBORNE

Marion, North Carolina

Born: July 12, 1884—Died: July 9, 1966

R. Hoey, as State Chairman of the Democratic Party, a position he held from 1932 to 1937.

He began the practice of law in Marion in 1907, with J. W. Pless, father of the now Justice J. W. Pless, and continued practice there until 1937, when he went on the Supreme Court of North Carolina, where he served with distinction for nearly twenty-five years, a little over five years of which was as Chief Justice. In 1946 the University of North Carolina, his Alma Mater, conferred on him the Honorary Degree of Doctor of Laws.

Upon his passing, Brother and Governor Dan Moore said:

"North Carolina will be indebted for the outstanding service rendered by the Honorable J. Wallace Winborne. The grief of his family will be tempered by the realization that he faithfully devoted his life to justice under the law."

Speaking of his service on the Supreme Court, Brother Emery B. Denny, who served with him on the Supreme Court a long time, and who succeeded him as Chief Justice, said:

"As an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court and as Chief Justice he was diligent and thorough in his research. He insisted on familiarizing himself with the authorities he cited in support of his opinions. His opinions were thorough and always supported by many citations previously handed down by the Court. He was a loyal friend and a man of impeccable character and integrity. He loved the law and his State without reservation, and he served both with devotion and honor."

He was a strong, stalwart man. He stood tall among his fellow-men. Now that this mighty oak is fallen, there is an emptiness against the sky. We greatly miss him, and we mourn his passing, but we are glad that he lived and wrought among us, and was one of us.

May the Lord rest his ashes and give peace to his immortal soul.

MEMORIAL MEDITATION: A. D. LEON GRAY

As we pause to pay our last sad office of pious duty to our fallen brothers, we stand amidst the valley of the shadow of death. We stand in humility before the majesty, power and beauty of our Supreme Grand Master. We yearn for comfort in our time of greatest need because 1,140 of our beloved craftsmen have passed through the translation of the portals of death.

We are reminded of the noble army of artisans who have planned, labored and builded eternity in our midst. The joys of their lovable qualities are shining brightly in our minds, the evidences of laboring together in our quarries are vivid in our life, the union of fraternal love enobles our memory lane. These precious links are broken for a time among us, yet we remember them with gratitude and name them with a benediction.

We perform this last act, not mourning as those who have no hope. Vivid to us is the eternal evergreen, which marked the resting place of illustrious dead and still remains the symbol of our faith. Beginning with the trust in Judah's lion and evolving toward the full knowledge of God's creative plan, our lives are fixed upon him who is, who was and who shall ever be.

As we are united in sorrow because of the brief absence of our beloved ones, we are united in prayer because of our great need, so

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we are united in dedication to follow the pathway of God's eternal plan. Therefore we are a sacred band. We are praising our God, prayers are yearning from our souls and God is very near. We are united in love and the Spirit of God lives among us. In this spiritual realm a song rises in our hearts

Make a joyful noise unto the Lord, all ye lands!
 Serve the Lord with gladness;
 Come before His presence with singing.
 Know ye that the Lord He is God:
 It is He that hath made us, and not we ourselves;
 We are His people, and the sheep of His pasture.
 Enter into His gates with Thanksgiving,
 And into His courts with praise;
 Be thankful unto Him, and bless His name.
 For the Lord is good;
 His mercy is everlasting;
 And His truth endureth to all generations.

CALL TO PRAYER:

O magnify the Lord with me, let us exalt his name together. It is the Lord's mercies that we are not consumed, because his compassions fail not. Let us pray:

PRAYER: W. STAMEY TEACHEY

DISPENSED WITH LABOR

Labor was dispensed with in the Grand Lodge and the Grand Master directed the Grand Marshal to retire with Brothers O. Hal Hamby and Sinclair Tebo and present Neil Grimes, State Master Councilor, Order of DeMolay.

Brother O. Hal Hamby expressed his appreciation for the support and co-operation of the Grand Lodge in the work of the Order of DeMolay. He then introduced Neil Grimes, State Master Councilor, who also expressed appreciation of the DeMolays to the Grand Lodge.

The Grand Master thanked Neil Grimes and Brothers Hamby and Tebo for their efforts on behalf of the Order of DeMolay and wished them success in all their future endeavors.

LABOR RESUMED

Mr. Grimes, Brothers Tebo and Hamby were escorted out of the Grand Lodge and Labor was resumed.

PRESENTATION OF JOSEPH MONTFORT MEDALS

(Docket No. 35)

The Grand Master presented Joseph Montfort Medals for distinguished service to Masonry to the following:

W. JAMES PAUL KELLY

Past Master of Sparta Lodge No. 423

District Deputy Grand Master

Forty-ninth Masonic District

W. EDGAR FLOYD DUNN

Past Master of Roman Eagle Lodge No. 550

Past District Deputy Grand Master

Grand Lecturer

The Grand Lodge of North Carolina

PRESENTATION OF BOOK**"CONSTITUTIONS OF THE ANCIENT AND HONORABLE
FRATERNITY OF FREE AND ACCEPTED MASONS"**

(Docket No. 36)

M. W. Brother Robert L. Pugh, P.G.M., made the following presentation and, upon motion, it was unanimously adopted to accept the book:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:
Brethren:

First of all, I direct your attention to this question: When is a book said to be old? Or, expressed in another way, when may a book be classified as "rare"? According to Dr. Lawrence F. London, curator of rare books at the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill. "A book may be classified as rare if it meets any of several classifications. Any book printed in Europe before 1700, or in the Americas before 1820, may be classified as a rare book. Second, is the number of copies still available; and third, books signed by important authors, or owners, may be put into the rare category, as may be books printed or bound by famous people."

Under any one of these qualifications, or under all of them, the Grand Lodge of North Carolina today is placed in a most fortunate position, for through our Most Worshipful Grand Master, our Grand Lodge has now come into possession of a book of rare vintage and of fascinating Masonic interest, a volume published at Worcester, Massachusetts, 1798. This book is entitled, "Constitutions of the Ancient and Honorable Fraternity of Free and Accepted Masons; Collected and digested from their old records, faithful, traditions and lodge books for the use of lodges, together with the history and general regulations of the Grand Lodge of Massachusetts."

This interesting volume, now well worn with age and use, was compiled by the Reverend Thaddeus Mason Harris, A.M., who was a member of the Massachusetts Historical Society and who, more appropriately for our understanding, was the Grand Chaplain to the Grand Lodge of Massachusetts. It was also printed by a Mason, Brother Isaiah Thomas.

Before approval was given to the publication of this volume, it was reviewed by a Grand Lodge committee, studied thoroughly by them, and on the 25th of June, 1798, in the City of Boston, this committee recommended its publication. Of interest to us, is the fact that this committee of five brethren included the name of one of our outstanding patriots of the Revolutionary Period, Brother Paul Revere.

Authorization for its publication, after favorable vote by the Grand Lodge, was given by the Most Worshipful Grand Master, Josiah Bartlett; by the Deputy Grand Master, Brother Samuel Dunn; and the Grand Wardens, Brothers Joseph Laughton and William Little.

The book consists of five parts, comprising a total of 285 pages. Part one deals with the ancient constitutions as they relate, first of all, to those who would become Free and Accepted Masons. From this, the volume proceeds into a discussion of the lodge and the government of the lodge. The behavior of Masons, while members of the lodge and also in their private character, also receives a great deal of consideration. And it concludes with a discussion of the Grand Lodge in general.

Part two goes into a description of some of the ancient ceremonies relating to the constituting and consecrating of a lodge and the installation of its officers. The ceremony of laying the foundation stone of a public edifice likewise is included. All of these ceremonies contain much of the same language and phraseology that we use today. Other ceremonies such as those used in the dedication of Freemasons halls, and the ceremony to be used at funerals, as well as other processions are included and likewise contain expressions similar to those in our ceremonies at the present time.

Our brethren will certainly be interested in the fascinating ceremony that was used during that era relating to the opening of a bridge. This will come as interesting information to many of our brethren today, but this rare ceremony goes on to say, "The Grand Lodge, neighboring lodges and brethren, move in procession to the new bridge, attended by magistrates and gentlemen of the vicinity. They form, in order, at the entrance of the bridge. The Grand Master, with his Wardens, then examines the work and finding it to be 'well constructed and fit for public use,' he calls his proclamation to made accordingly. The Grand Honors are then given—a short address is made, and an ode sung adapted to the occasion.

"They then march over the bridge and return with music. The proclamations are again made, after which there is a discharge of artillery. The Grand Lodge then returns in procession and is closed in form." And that concludes the ceremony used at the opening of a bridge. Perhaps the knowledge of such a ceremony comes as a surprise to you also.

Part three deals with charges, addresses, and prayers. And once again, much of the language is similar to that used in our lodges today.

Part four relates to the history of Freemasonry in New England, and part five concludes with a collection of anthems and songs for public occasions, as well as a fascinating section dealing with Masonic toasts. There are 40 of these toasts, the first of which, as might have been expected, was to be made our "Right Worshipful Brother, George Washington and Craft, with the honors of Masonry." And, while all of them are extremely interesting and appropriate, the twenty-fifth one is very challenging in its import, for it is as follows: "May every Free and Accepted Mason rise in the East, find refreshment in the South, and when he rests in the West, may he enjoy the fellowship and receive the same reward that our patron, the good Saint John, received, that of being the disciple whom the Savior of Mankind loved." And the fortieth toast appropriately enough is "to all mankind."

This ancient volume comes to us, as I have said, through our Most Worshipful Grand Master. He received it from a member of New London Lodge No. 420, F. & A. M., of New London, New York, a

good and generous brother by the name of Richard J. Carver. Brother Carver gave the book to a good friend of his, Brother J. Roscoe Adams, who has long enjoyed the friendship of our Grand Master. Brother Adams in turn presented the book to our Grand Master, and he has asked that it now be presented to the Grand Lodge of North Carolina, to find a safe repository in our Grand Lodge Library.

I would move you, therefore, Most Worshipful Sir, that the Grand Lodge of North Carolina do now accept this rare volume of Masonic information with expressions of deep and sincere appreciation to all of those who have played a part in its presentation, Brother Carver, Brother Adams, and our Grand Master. As we move to accept this volume, we will at the same time transmit our expressions of appreciation to these brethren, assuring them that the volume will receive the careful and considerate attention that its rarity and uniqueness would require.

Respectfully submitted,
ROBERT L. PUGH

PRESENTATION OF PAST DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND MASTERS' CERTIFICATES

(Docket No. 37)

The Grand Master, with appropriate remarks, presented Past District Deputy Grand Masters' Certificates to the following brethren:

W. WILLIAM L. ADAMS	W. E. CAROL CATON
W. THOMAS R. BROWN, JR.	W. FLOYD M. BURTON
W. NELSON W. NEWTON	W. POSEY L. BRYANT
W. GUY A. DUNCAN	W. ROBERT G. SMITH
W. CLAUDE BILLINGS	W. ROBERT M. BIRD
W. HUGH R. SIPE	W. WILLIE L. LANKFORD
W. JAMES W. RUSSELL	

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON APPEALS

(Docket No. 38)

The Committee on Appeals presented the following report, which was read, and upon motion duly seconded, was adopted by sections and then adopted as a whole:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

The Committee on Appeals respectfully submits the following report:

1. We have reviewed the record in all cases which have been completed since the Annual Communication in 1966, and now pending before the Committee, wherein the accused has been expelled under the provisions of Regulation 99-22, by order or judgment of the Judge Advocate. We particularly directed our attention to the strict compliance with the Regulation, and in each of the following cases we recommend that the Judge Advocate be affirmed by the Grand Lodge:

TRIAL DOCKET NO. 231: In the matter of charges preferred against a Master Mason of St. John's Lodge No. 4, A. F. & A. M.

Expelled: August 19, 1966.

TRIAL DOCKET NO. 234: In the matter of charges preferred against a Master Mason of Sparta Lodge No. 423, A. F. & A. M.

Expelled: December 24, 1964.

2. We have reviewed the record in all cases which have been completed since the Annual Communication in 1966, and now pending before the Committee, wherein the punishment imposed was expulsion, or the accused was found not guilty, and in none of which neither the accused nor the complainant or the lodge involved appealed from the decision of the Trial Commission. We directed our attention to the validity of the appointment of Trial Commissioners, the service of notice upon the accused, and competency and weight of the evidence presented at the trial, and the decision of the Commission, all in accordance with the Regulations of the Grand Lodge as contained in Chapters 98 to 106 inclusive of THE CODE of 1948 as amended. Your Committee approves the decision of the Trial Commission in each case, and recommends that the judgment of the Trial Commission in each case be affirmed by the Grand Lodge:

TRIAL DOCKET NO. 228: In the matter of charges preferred against a Master Mason of Mount Herman Lodge No. 118, A.F. & A. M.

Decision: Not guilty.

TRIAL DOCKET NO. 229: In the matter of charges preferred against a Master Mason of Grifton Lodge No. 243, A. F. & A. M.

Expelled: August 22, 1966.

APPLICATIONS FOR RESTORATION

1. In the matter of the Application for Restoration of Owen Earl Jenkins, Jr. to Masonic Rights and Privileges. The application was filed with the Grand Secretary more than thirty (30) days before this Annual Communication. This applicant was dismembered June 8, 1965 (Trial Docket 218). A true copy of the application with statements or grounds upon which the applicant seeks restoration was served on Lafayette Lodge No. 83, A. F. & A. M. in accordance with Chapter 109 of THE CODE of 1948 as amended, on December 20, 1966, more than ninety (90) days before this Annual Communication. At a stated communication thereafter Lafayette Lodge No. 83 unanimously recommended that he be restored to the rights and privileges of Masonry. After carefully examining the record in this matter, and taking into consideration all factors involved, this Committee recommends that the Grand Lodge restore Owen Earl Jenkins, Jr. to all the Rights and Privileges of a non-affiliated Mason.

2. In the matter of the Application for Restoration of Simeon Tess Enzor, formerly a Fellowcraft, to Masonic Rights and Privileges. All requirements as to filing with the Grand Secretary and service on Fair Bluff Lodge No. 190, A. F. & A. M., from which the applicant was dismembered on February 10, 1954, (Trial Docket No. 74), have been strictly complied with. All members of the lodge in attendance at the stated communication of February 18, 1967, expressed the opinion that he has paid for "his mistakes made to society," and recommend favorable action on his petition by the Grand Lodge.

After carefully examining the record, and taking into consideration all factors involved, this Committee recommends that Simeon Tess Enzor be restored by the Grand Lodge to all the Rights and Privileges of a non-affiliated Fellowcraft Mason.

3. In the matter of the Application for Restoration of Carl Russell Knight to Masonic Rights and Privileges. The applicant was dismembered March 26, 1960. All requirements have been complied with. This is Trial Docket No. 160. This application was disapproved in 1962, but five more years have passed, and innumerable Masons have strongly recommended favorable action. After carefully examining the record, and considering all factors involved, this Committee recommends that the Grand Lodge restore Carl Russell Knight to all the Rights and Privileges of a non-affiliated Mason.

4. In the matter of the Application for Restoration of Jimmy Ray Wood to Masonic Rights and Privileges. This applicant was dismembered September 25, 1965 (Trial Docket No. 223). All requirements of THE CODE have been complied with by the applicant. His former lodge, Greensboro Lodge No. 76, A. F. & A. M., at a stated communication, unanimously voted to recommend favorable action on his petition, the Secretary advising "that he has repented and made full retribution for his actions." After carefully examining the record in this matter, and taking into consideration all factors involved, this Committee recommends that the Grand Lodge restore Jimmy Ray Wood to all the Rights and Privileges of a non-affiliated Mason.

Respectfully submitted,
WILLIAM J. BUNDY, *Chairman*
NORWOOD P. PARKER
THOMAS G. SLATE

ELECTION OF GRAND LODGE OFFICERS

The Grand Master announced that the time for the election of officers of the Grand Lodge had arrived, and he appointed the following tellers:

Brothers Hiram J. Casebolt (500); J. Paul Kelly (423); Willett Tillett (521); Leslie H. Garner (708); William L. Adams (725); Nelson W. Newton (206); William D. Edwards (112); Hubert H. Eddins (155); James E. Mosteller (344); E. Carol Caton (720); Thomas J. Mann (31); Flay A. Willis (356); Gerald D. Hill (706); George N. Crawford (358); Floyd M. Burton (576); L. Ralph Howell (112); Archie B. Stalvey (114); Dewey Shelton (681); Robert L. Beam (579); Reynold Davenport (680); John R. Bender (707); A. Edward Fey (685); Julian W. Helms (728); and Sinclair Tebo (685).

The election resulted as follows:

<i>Grand Master</i>	ALFRED ALBRECHT KAER, JR. (3) New Bern
<i>Deputy Grand Master</i>	ROBERT NORMAN BASS, JR. (97) Raleigh
<i>Senior Grand Warden</i>	WILLIAM ARTHUR HOOKS (84) Smithfield
<i>Junior Grand Warden</i>	MAURICE ELLEDGE WALSH (407) North Wilkesboro

Grand Treasurer-----JAMES WOODROW BREWER
(708) Greenville
Grand Secretary-----CHARLES ANDERSON HARRIS
(113) Raleigh

REPORT OF THE JUDGE ADVOCATE

(Docket No. 39)

The Judge Advocate presented the following report which was read, received and entered on the record:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

I hereby submit my annual report of Judge Advocate:

Since the Annual Communication held in Winston-Salem, April 1966, I have had fourteen cases referred to me, eleven of which have been tried and completed, five remaining are now pending and will be completed in due course of time.

I have received full cooperation of the members of the Craft, Officers of the Grand Lodge, Officers of the various Lodges, Trial Commissioners. To each and all I extend my appreciation.

Respectfully submitted,

J. GILES HUDSON, P.G.M. *Judge Advocate*

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF CUSTODIANS

(Docket No. 40)

The following report of the Board of Custodians was read by W. Brother Louis W. Shrier, P.M., entered on the record and adopted by sections. A motion was made and duly seconded that the rules and regulations be suspended and the resolution by Goldsboro Lodge No. 634 be voted on without action of the Board of Custodians. Upon vote the motion was adopted. A motion was made and duly seconded that the resolution of Goldsboro Lodge No. 634 pertaining to extra copies of the OSW be adopted. Upon vote the resolution was adopted. The Report of the Board of Custodians was then adopted in its entirety. (See Docket No. 27 "Resolution of Goldsboro Lodge No. 634," page 109 of these Proceedings.)

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

The Board held four meetings since the last annual communication of the Grand Lodge; June 10, September 9, 1966 and March 10 and April 16, 1967.

FIRST MEETING

1. On June 10, 1966, the Board met in the Grand Lodge Office Building, 2921 Glenwood Avenue, Raleigh, N. C. M. W. Arnold J. Koonce, Sr., *Grand Master, Chairman ex-officio*, presided. All members were present.

2. The Secretary announced W. William K. Price, P.M., C.L. (No. 261), Greensboro, North Carolina and M. W. Charles C. Ricker, P.G. M. (No. 118), Asheville, North Carolina, were appointed members of the Board for three years, expiring in 1969, by the Grand Master.

3. The Board organized as required under Regulation 35-02, and W.'Nathan P. Strause, P.M., C.L. was elected Chairman, and W.' Louis W. Shrier, P.M., P.D.D.G.M. was elected Secretary.

FEES FOR LECTURE SERVICE

*4. No change was made in the present allowance for fees for the Lecture Service to Lodges. We recommend that no change be made at this time in the allowance for fees for this service.

*This recommendation was adopted by the Grand Lodge.

RULES GOVERNING THE LECTURE SERVICE

5. The Rules Governing the Lecture Service may be found in the Appendix of THE CODE, at Page A-54. The last issue of the rules is dated July 31, 1966.

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS FOR A SCHOOL OF INSTRUCTION

6. The schedule of minimum requirements for an Area or a District School of Instruction previously adopted June 8, 1956, and revised June 10, 1961, was reconsidered and further revised on September 9, 1961, to specifically provide for holding these schools on a one-day or on a two-day schedule within fourteen consecutive days. The last revision of June 10, 1966, repeals all schedules heretofore promulgated and they may be found in the Lecture Service Book issued by the Board of Custodians and dated November 1, 1966.

DUTIES OF A DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND LECTURER

7. The duties prescribed for a District Deputy Grand Lecturer will be found in Regulation 35-08 (2B) of THE CODE, as amended at Regulation 35-08 (2B.4), docket no. 57, 1964 proceedings of April 22, 1964.

THE RULES GOVERNING THE OFFICIAL STANDARD OF THE WORK AND THE VOCABULARY

8. On June 8, 1962, this Board adopted and promulgated certain amendments to the Rules Governing the Official Standard of the Work and the Vocabulary which Rules were originally adopted in April, 1948. These amendments became effective on June 8, 1962, and will be found in The Code on Pages A-52a—A-52c.

9. The Grand Lecturer reported that 100 lodges would need Lecture Service as of June 10, 1966.

10. The Grand Lecturer reported that the programs for Schools of Instruction, Lecture Service and for the Lodge System of Masonic Education were being urged as vigorously as possible to get the desired results.

11. It was adopted by the Board that all new Certificates of Proficiency be dated to expire five (5) years from the last day of examination held each year.

SECOND MEETING

1. On September 9, 1966, the Board met in the Grand Lodge Office Building 2921 Glenwood Avenue, Raleigh, N. C. M.'W.'Arnold J. Koonce, Sr., *Grand Master, Chairman ex-officio* presided. All members were present except W.'Walter Herman Hardee, P.M., C.L. Visitor M.'W.'G. Dudley Humphrey, P.G.M., C.L. and W.'R. Pete Dudley, P.M.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE

2. Brother Joseph H. Lane, C.L., resigned as District Deputy Grand Lecturer of the Eighth Masonic District and Brother William Floyd Tomason, C.L., was appointed to fill this vacancy. Brother Ronald W. Loftis, P.M., C.L., resigned as District Deputy Grand Lecturer of the Thirteenth Masonic District and Brother Morton Fleishman, C.L., was appointed to fill this vacancy.

3. The loan and use of five additional copies of the OSW to lodges was discontinued under the provisions of REG. 30-03(1) of THE CODE. This was necessitated because of the improper manner of accounting for these books.

4. The Secretary reported that plans are being made for examinations for proficiency during September, 1966, and there are 80 Class "A" and 1 Class "B" due for re-examination. The Board authorized the application of Regulation 35-07 (4) to those cases coming under its provisions, for failure to appear when called for re-examination.

5. The Board decided to continue the Area Plan for Proficiency Examinations for 1966.

6. The Board decided to exemplify the Third Degree at the annual communication of the Grand Lodge in 1967, at Raleigh, and the Grand Lecturer was authorized to make all necessary arrangements for the work.

CERTIFICATES EXPIRED

7. The Board adopted the following resolution:

"BE IT RESOLVED, That the Certified Members who have failed to present themselves for re-examination on or before September 23, 1966, and have been notified twice to appear, be dropped from their respective roster of Certified Members as of September 23, 1966.

8. The Board of General Purposes, as a matter of policy, established the payment of mileage to Examiners for Proficiency Examinations at a cost not to exceed ten cents per mile, which was approved by this Board.

THIRD MEETING

1. On March 10, 1967, The Board met in the Grand Lodge Office Building, 2921 Glenwood Avenue, Raleigh, N.C. M. W. Arnold J. Koonce, Sr., *Grand Master*, *Chairman ex-officio* presided. All members were present. Visitors, M. W. Edward Burrier, P.G.M. and W. R. Pete Dudley, P.M.

2. The Secretary reported that for 1967 there will be due for re-examination 84 Certified Lecturers and 2 Certified Instructors.

3. The Secretary reported on the Proficiency Examinations held in September (19, 20, 21, 22, 23), as follows:

Examined	Passed		Re-Exam		B-to-A	New Total			Failed		Did Not Report
	A	B	A	B		A	B	A&B	A	B	
I	11	0	11	0	5	0	6	11	0	0	1
II	15	0	15	0	12	0	3	15	0	0	10
III	17	0	17	0	10	0	2	17	0	0	7
IV	8	1	8	1	5	0	3	9	0	0	4
V	11	0	11	0	8	0	3	11	0	0	1
	62	1	62	1	40	0	20	63	0	0	23
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NUMBER OF CERTIFIED MEMBERS

4. The Secretary reported the number on the Roster of Certified Lecturers and Certified Instructors as follows as of October 1, 1966:

Class	Number Oct. 1, 1965	Number Oct. 1, 1966	Change
A	506	497	L 9
B	13	8	L 5
TOTALS	519	505	L 14

A complete roster of each class and other data will be found in the Lecture Service Booklet issued by the Board of Custodians and dated November 1, 1966.

CERTIFICATE EXPIRED

5. The Board adopted the following resolution:

*BE IT RESOLVED, That the 25 brethren whose names follow shall be dropped from the Roster of Certified Members, since their certificates expired on or before September 23, 1966:

Name	County	Area
James Allen Brown	Wake	III
Coy Swinston Bullard	New Hanover	II
Gordon Lee Butler, Sr.	Stanly	IV
Percy Albert Crater	Forsyth	III
Charles William Edwards	Harnett	II
Richard Tyler Freeman	Davidson	III
Franklin Smithwick Harrell	Bertie	I
Jackson Grady Howard	Rowan	IV
Ralph Hilliard Jackson, Sr.	Mecklenburg	IV
Graham Pinkney Kerr	Mecklenburg	IV
Zeph Marshall	Onslow	II
Charles Craig Murr	Guilford	III
Charlie Nixon	Sampson	II
Frank Neely Owens	Mecklenburg	IV
Roy Thomas Powell	Wake	III
Howard Dee Silver	Yancey	V
Frank Robert Stevens	Mail Not Delivered	
Charles Butler Stokes	Mecklenburg	IV
Justin Lee Wescott	(Out of State)	
George Oliver Whittington	Harnett	II
James Edwin Williams	Hoke	II
Charles Lindbergh Wilson	Warren	III
"B"		
Chester Martin Davis, Jr.	(Out of State)	
Charles Pomeroy Everest, Jr.	Forsyth	III
Vernon Lee Pearce	Wake	III

These brethren did not report for or pass the re-examination after due notice and their certificate having expired, they were dropped from the Roster of Certified Members as of September 23, 1966.

*This resolution was adopted by the Grand Lodge.

6. Nineteen Certificates entitled *Laudamus* for those who were entitled to them by virtue of continuous proficiency for fifteen or more consecutive years, were mailed on February 25, 1967.

A roster of the holders of the *Laudamus* certificates will be found in the Appendix of these Proceedings.

7. The Board decided to continue the Area Plan for Proficiency Examinations in 1967.

NOMINATION OF GRAND LECTURER

8. As provided in Regulation 20-05 (2) and 35-06 (1), the Board of Custodians unanimously nominated W. James Henry Horne, P.M., C.L., P.D.D.G.L., a member of Creasy Proctor Lodge No. 679, Fayetteville, North Carolina, as Grand Lecturer to succeed W. Edgar Floyd Dunn, P.M., C.L., whose term expires 1967, and this nomination has been laid before the incoming Grand Master for his consideration.

9. The certificates for brethren who passed the proficiency examination last September (1966) were mailed on November 1, 1966.

COMPENSATION FOR LECTURE SERVICE

10. We recommend the adoption of the following resolution authorizing the reimbursement to the subordinate lodges for compensation for Lecture Service paid out by them:

*BE IT RESOLVED, That the Grand Lodge continue to reimburse subordinate lodges for the compensation for Lecture Service paid out by them (but not including the expenses of the Lecturers), on such basis of compensation as may be determined by the Board of Custodians under the provisions of Regulation 35-08 (3), and 20-05 (5).

*This resolution was adopted by the Grand Lodge.

MISCELLANEOUS

11. Since our last report two lodges have applied for permission to use robes in conferring the degrees as follows:

Hiram Lodge No. 40, Raleigh, N. C. This application was approved on September 9, 1966.

Derita Lodge No. 715, Charlotte, N. C. This application was approved on March 10, 1967.

FOURTH MEETING

1. On April 16, 1967, the Board met in the Sir Walter Hotel, Raleigh, North Carolina. M. W. Arnold J. Koonce, Sr., *Grand Master*, *Chairman ex-officio* presided. All members were present.

LECTURE SERVICE

2. We urge our Certified Lecturers to read and observe carefully the amended Rules for the Government of the Lecture Service as found on Page A-54 in the Appendix to THE CODE.

HONORARY TITLE OF PAST DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND LECTURER

3. Under the provisions of Regulation 35-08 of THE CODE, we recommend the Grand Master having approved, that the Grand Lodge grant the honorary title of PAST DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND LECTURER to these brethren, each of whom is qualified and is on the Roster of Certified Lecturers:

Elbert Winford Cowan D 2	1964-65-66
Ephey B. Priest D 3	1964-65-66
William Hoke Smith D 5	1964-65-66
Oscar Victor Clarke D 14	1964-65-66

Thomas Wathew Woodard D 17.....	1964-65-66
Douglas McKoy Wall D 22.....	1964-65-66
James Starling Johnson, Jr. D 23.....	1964-65-66
John W. Darroch, Jr., D 24.....	1964-65-66
John Bunyan Adams, Jr. D 26.....	1964-65-66
Richard Hargrove Long D 27.....	1964-65-66
Monroe McCoy Bolen D 28.....	1964-65-66
James Douglas Richardson D 33.....	1964-65-66
Luther Howard Walker D 38.....	1964-65-66
James Thaddeus White D 42.....	1964-65-66
Ned Armfield Hawks D 57.....	1964-65-66

The following brethren have heretofore served appointments and have been heretofore awarded the honorary title of PAST DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND LECTURER. They have served the following years:

Ernest Elton Odom D 19.....	1956-57-58	1960-61-62
	1964-65-66.	
Franklin William Royal D 49.....	1950-53-54	1955-58-59
	1960-61-62	1963-65-66
Raymond Haskell Garrison D 53.....	1958-59-60	1964-65-66

REG. 35-08 (9) does not require continuous or successive *service* for three years or terms, but only three *appointments*.

4. We sincerely regret to report the death of the following Certified Lecturers and Certified Instructor:

Ned Benton Allen, died September 8, 1965
 Howard Lemar Burleson, died January 29, 1966
 Griffin Gabriel Edgerton, died February 5, 1967
 George Anderson Green, died November 26, 1966
 Waits Waye Hughes, died April 16, 1966
 William Eckles Nash, died June 26, 1966
 Robert Jones Royals, died February 10, 1966
 John Alexander Simpson, died April 7, 1966
 Howard Adolphus Wilton, died July 5, 1964
 DeCostor Wright, died June 24, 1965
 Audrey Burrell Hardison, died August 5, 1966

We record the appreciation for the devotion of each of these brethren to Masonry and their willingness to serve.

MASONIC EDUCATION

5. Our Grand Lecturer reports that there is an increasing interest in the Lodge System of Masonic Education; 347 lodges using it. The remaining 19 lodges, 12 of which failed to report and are not now using this system; therefore, we recommend that the Grand Lodge continue this educational effort; and, for the purpose of carrying out this recommendation, we present the following resolution and recommend that it be adopted:

*BE IT RESOLVED, That the Lodge System of Masonic Education, approved by the Grand Lodge in 1935 (Pro. 1935, Pages 32 and 86, and again in 1949, Pro. 1949, Page 197), be continued and that each lodge be requested to put that plan in operation promptly.

*This resolution was adopted by the Grand Lodge.

We do not recommend at this time that this program be made mandatory.

REPORT OF GRAND LECTURER TO BOARD OF CUSTODIANS

6. The Grand Lecturer presented to us the report he will make to the Grand Lodge. It was examined and approved by the Board, the Board congratulated him on his excellent work. For details, see his report at Pages 136-139 of these Proceedings as Docket No. 45.

LODGES EXCUSED FROM THE LECTURE SERVICE

7. The application from each of the following eighteen lodges to be excused from Lecture Service, having been investigated, as required in Regulation 35-09, were each approved:

NUMBER	LODGE NAME	EXPIRES
114—	St. Alban's	March 1, 1967
145—	Junaluskee	October 8, 1967
165—	Archer	May 22, 1966
191—	Granite	March 10, 1967
257—	Kenly	November 10, 1967
283—	Eureka	June 12, 1967
317—	Eureka	November 26, 1967
375—	State Line	November 5, 1967
395—	Orient	February 28, 1967
461—	Matthews	July 22, 1967
543—	Spencer	May 14, 1967
576—	Andrew Jackson	August 14, 1967
595—	Wallace	May 8, 1967
609—	Zebulon	February 9, 1967
617—	St. Patricks	February 7, 1967
676—	Temple	October 29, 1967
695—	Allen-Graham	November 26, 1967
724—	Berne	September 26, 1967

W. EDGAR FLOYD DUNN, P.M., C.L.

8. The Regulations of the Grand Lodge requires that a Grand Lecturer can only serve for three consecutive years and W. Edgar Floyd Dunn, P.M., C.L., has, for the past three years served our Grand Lodge as Grand Lecturer with care, thoughtfulness and zeal.

The duties of a Grand Lecturer are complex, and his devotion to these duties has produced the present excellent condition of the Ritualistic Work in our Grand Jurisdiction.

As Chairman of the Special Committee to revise the Ritual, he has worked diligently for many long hours to prepare our present Official Standard of the Work.

It has been a pleasure to have been associated with him through these years; we are grateful for his cooperation and express to him our appreciation and gratitude for his service to the Craft.

DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND LECTURERS FOR 1967-68

9. The Grand Lecturer W. E. Floyd Dunn, P.M., C.L., nominated the several District Deputy Grand Lecturers for the ensuing Masonic year (1967-68), and they were approved by the Board as provided in Regulation 35-08 (2).

(For details see his report at Page 136 of these Proceedings as Docket No. 45).

Respectfully submitted,

M. W. ARNOLD J. KOONCE, SR., *Grand Master, Chairman ex-officio*

W. NATHAN P. STRAUSE, P.M., C.L., P.D.D.G.L.,
Chairman

W. LOUIS W. SHRIER, P.M., P.D.D.G.M., *Secretary*

W. E. FLOYD DUNN, P.M., C.L., *Grand Lecturer*

W. WILLIAM K. PRICE, P.M., C.L.

M. W. CHARLES C. RICKER, P.G.M.

W. WALTER HERMAN HARDEE, P.M., C.L., P.D.D.G.L.

W. J. EARL WATSON, P.M., C.L., P.D.D.G.L.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CHARTERS AND DISPENSATIONS

(Docket No. 41)

The following report of the Committee on Charters and Dispensations was read by W. Brother Berl M. Kahn, P.M., C.L., *Grand Marshal*, unanimously adopted by sections, and then unanimously adopted as a whole:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

The Committee on Charters and Dispensations met on April 18, 1967, and examined the report of the Special Committee on the removal of Hollis Lodge No. 535. After due deliberation and having satisfied ourselves that this report and recommendation was in the best interest of Hollis Lodge, and more particularly Masonry in general, we recommend the approval of the recommendation of this Special Committee permitting Hollis Lodge No. 535 to permanently move to Walls Church Community with jurisdictional lines as set out in their recommendation. We further recommend that Hollis Lodge No. 535 submit to the Lodge Service Commission for approval, all necessary documents to permit them to erect a Masonic Temple. The Lodge must submit these documents to the Lodge Service Commission within ninety days after the adoption of this report.

Your Committee examined the petition of Cherokee Lodge No. 146 for a Duplicate Charter to replace the one lost in a recent fire, and we recommend that a Duplicate Charter be issued.

Respectfully submitted,

BERL M. KAHN, *Chairman*

REPORT OF COMMITTEE OF MASONIC JURISPRUDENCE

(Docket No. 42)

The Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence made the following report which was read, and each item and subdivision was adopted by more than two-thirds of the votes cast, then the report as a whole was adopted by a unanimous vote:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

After due deliberation and careful consideration your Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence reports:

**CIVIL CORPORATIONS
MASONIC CENTER OF FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.**

A petition by Creasy Proctor Lodge No. 679, A. F. & A. M., John Huske Anderson Lodge No. 731, A. F. & A. M., and the York Rite Bodies of Fayetteville, namely: Phoenix Chapter No. 2, Royal Arch Masons, Fayetteville Council No. 27, Royal and Select Masters, and Palestine Commandery No. 20, Knights Templar, to form a civil corporation under the laws of North Carolina, by the corporate name of The Masonic Center of Fayetteville, N. C., together with copies of the charter and by-laws, pursuant to REG. 4-06 of THE CODE, has been filed with the Grand Secretary, and referred to this Committee. The Committee has carefully examined and considered the same, and approves said charter and by-laws as to form and content, and in the light of Masonic Jurisprudence and the civil law. We recommend that the same be approved by the Grand Lodge.

RESOLUTIONS TO AMEND THE CODE

We recommend that the following amendments to the Code be approved:

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE CODE

1. To amend Reg. 33-01 (3N) to add under Committees as follows:
N. Permanent Building.
2. To add another Section under Reg. 38 to be designated and numbered Reg. 38-20 to read as follows:

The Committee on Permanent Building shall consist of three members with staggered terms of from one to three years, to be appointed by the Grand Master, as follows: one for three years, one for two years, and one for one year and their successors to be appointed for three year terms. This committee shall have general charge and supervision of the Grand Lodge Building, furnishings, equipment and grounds, and shall have under its charge and supervision the upkeep, maintenance and preservation of the same. In matters of consequence and before expending any sizable sum the consent and approval of the Grand Lodge shall first be obtained.

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE CODE

1. Under Reg. 33-01 (1) entitled Boards, add
C. The Board of Publications
2. Under Reg. 38 add a new Section to be designated Reg. 38-19, to read as follows:

The Board of Publications shall consist of five members with staggered terms of from one to five years, to be chosen by The Board of General Purposes, as follows: one for five years, one for four years, one for three years, one for two years, and one for one year, their successors to be chosen for five years. It shall be the

duty of this Committee to establish the policies of the publication, to select the editor, who in turn will select his staff, to fix the compensation of the editor and his staff, and in general to have charge and supervision of the publication.

RESOLUTION TO AMEND REGULATION 74-01

1. To amend Reg. 74-01 by adding sub-division 13-A to read as follows:

A. If his citizenship has not been restored in the event it was lost by such conviction and sentence.

To add another section under Regulation 74-01 to be designated 74-01 (15) and 74-01 (15A) as follows:

15. Not have been either undesirably or dishonorably discharged from the armed forces of the U. S.

15 (A). If separation from the armed forces was under either of the above classifications, satisfactory evidence must be submitted to verify the discharge has been changed by legal authority to at least a General Discharge.

The Board of General Purposes presented the following Resolution to amend THE CODE:

Delete Section 95-31 in its entirety and substitute in lieu thereof the following:

The aprons of the officers of the Grand Lodge and Past Grand Masters may be of lambskin, leather, or cloth, with belt or tie cords, lining, borders, and tabs of purple for the Grand Master and Past Grand Masters, and royal blue for all other officers; aprons, tabs, and flap, trimmed with gold bullion; with the emblem of the officer or Past Grand Master embroidered on the body of the apron with gold bullion; the apron of the Grand Master or a Past Grand Master may be decorated by a wreath embroidered in the borders in gold bullion. See Regulations 95-36 and 95-37 for designs of these aprons.

Metal collars for all persons designated in this regulation shall have a color background to match the corresponding apron and shall be of design approved by the Board of General Purposes.

DISPENSATIONS

We approve the dispensations listed on Page 5 of the Grand Master's Report:

We also approve the dispensation on Page 6 granted LaFayette Lodge No. 83 with addition of the following sentence which has been concurred in by the Grand Master:

"After careful examination of this matter it was made to appear to the Grand Master by positive and unquestionable evidence that the ballot was clearly and grossly illegal as outlined in the provisions of Reg. 76-16 of the Code". (See Grand Master's Report, Page 6 paragraph 2).

OFFICIAL OPINIONS

In this report, the Grand Master lists Opinions Nos. 1 to 16. We recommend approval of all opinions as written with the exception of Opinion No. 3.

In Opinion No. 3 the Grand Master has added after the following words ". . . it is my opinion" the following definitive phrase "in this particular case that. . ." and with that amending phrase readily concurred in by the Grand Master, we recommend approval.

ONE-STORY LODGE BUILDINGS

We recommend the Grand Lodge approve the action of the Grand Master as reported by him under this title.

ORDERS

The Grand Master reported that he issued two orders. We recommend that the Grand Lodge approve each of these orders (Nos. 1 and 2) as reported by him.

The following order (No. 3) was made too late for it to be included in the Grand Master's Report:

"The Secretary of Henry F. Grainger Lodge No. 412 has advised me in the matter of the illegal initiation of Brother Luey Arthur Finch, Jr., on April 8, 1967, and of the failure of the lodge to complete the degree. The initiation of Brother Finch on the same night on which he was elected to receive the degrees is a clear violation of Regulation 79-30 (1) of THE CODE, and the fact that the lodge also failed to give the lecture in this degree is a violation of Regulation 79-22. It is therefore ORDERED:

1. That Henry F. Grainger Lodge No. 412 heal Entered Apprentice Finch at the first stated communication following receipt of this Order, as provided in Regulation 94-05. It shall be sufficient only to re-obligate this candidate in the First Degree, in a lodge opened on that degree, following which the lecture must be given, and after the candidate has been thus healed, he may then be advanced when prepared as required in Regulation 80-01.

2. This Order shall be read in the lodge at the first stated communication following its receipt, and it shall be made a part of the minutes of that meeting so the members may refer to it in the future.

3. The lodge Secretary shall report to the Grand Secretary within five days after the healing of this candidate that this Order has been complied with.

Given under my hand and seal at High Point, North Carolina this 14th day of April, A.D. 1967; A.L. 5967."

This committee recommends approval of this Order.
No other matters have been presented or referred to us.

Respectfully submitted,
WILLIAM J. BUNDY, *Chairman*
W. EDWARD BURRIER, PGM, *Secretary*
R. N. BASS, JR.
ROBT. L. PUGH
W. A. HOOKS
G. DUDLEY HUMPHREY
W. H. WHITE

FINAL REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CREDENTIALS

(Docket No. 43)

The Committee on Credentials presented the following report, which was read, received and entered on the record:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

The Committee on Credentials herewith submits its final report for the 180th (1967) Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge:

Representatives from 316 Chartered Lodges Present.....	692
Representatives from Lodges Under Dispensation Present.....	NONE
Grand Lodge Officers Present (Elective and Appointive).....	17
Past Grand Masters Present (In addition to Charles A. Harris, P.G.M., <i>Grand Secretary</i> ; James W. Brewer, P.G.M., <i>Grand Treasurer</i> ; and J. Giles Hudson, P.G.M., <i>Judge Advocate</i> , included in Grand Lodge Officers).....	13
Members of Boards, Boards of Directors, Commissions and Committees Present (not otherwise listed).....	14
District Deputy Grand Masters Present.....	51
Total Present	787

Respectfully submitted,

H. V. FENSTAMACHER, *Chairman*

C. L. HUGHES

GEORGE W. WHITE

**REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE
ON FRATERNAL CORRESPONDENCE**

(Docket No. 44)

The following report of the Committee on Fraternal Correspondence was read by M. W. Charles A. Harris, PGM, *Grand Secretary* and unanimously adopted.

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

We herewith submit our sixth Annual Report of the Committee on Fraternal Correspondence of this Grand Jurisdiction.

For the last two or three years, we have devoted our report almost entirely to Edicts and Resolutions relating to the Grand Lodge of Cuba in Cuba and to the Grand Lodge of Cuba in exile in Florida.

However, the situation has changed this year. A message addressed "To the Masonic World" by Dr. Juan Jose Tarajano, Past Grand Master of Masons in Cuba in Exile in Florida and an Edict by M. W. Brother William M. Hollis, Grand Master of Masons in Florida, can best express the changes which have taken place.

The following is a part of the message of Dr. Tarajano:

"Effective on December 31, 1966, I have relinquished the powers and prerogatives vested in me as the last duly and freely elected and installed Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Cuba. The Grand Lodge of Cuba will enter a period of complete recess which I hope will not last for a long time. It will remain in darkness until the Cuban people regain their freedom. Now it will be clearly understood that I am not, and never was, motivated by personal reasons.

"Regular Cuban Master Masons in exile will associate themselves with a purely patriotic purpose and I have advised them to apply for affiliation with regular lodges in the places where they now reside in order to continue their Masonic career in exile until freedom be restored in Cuba."

We now quote as follows the Edict issued by the Grand Master of Florida, M. W. Brother William M. Hollis:

"WHEREAS, under date of December 31, A.L. 5966, A.D. 1966, Most Worshipful Juan Jose Tarajano, the last duly elected Grand Master of Masons of Cuba, advised the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Florida and the Masonic World that, effective December 31, A.L. 5966, A.D. 1966, he had relinquished the powers and prerogatives vested in him as the last duly and freely elected and installed Grand Master of Masons of Cuba and that he had placed the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Cuba, A. F. & A. M., in complete darkness until the Cuban people regain their freedom and had deposited the Great Seal of the Grand Lodge A. F. & A. M. of Cuba with the Chairman of the Cuban Relief and Avouchment Committee of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge F. & A. M. of Florida for the purpose of depositing the same in the office of the Grand Secretary of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Florida for safekeeping; and

"WHEREAS, by virtue of this action on the part of Most Worshipful Brother Tarajano, it becomes impossible to fulfill one of the requirements set forth in the existing Edict governing Cuban Masons in the Grand Jurisdiction of Florida; and

"WHEREAS, the Cuban Relief and Avouchment Committee of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge F. & A. M. of Florida, after due deliberation, has recommended a modification in the existing Edict in order to comply with all other requirements of said Edict and to safeguard the rights of Cuban Masons, as well as the rights of the Brethren of this Grand Jurisdiction;

"NOW, THEREFORE, I WILLIAM M. HOLLIS, GRAND MASTER OF MASONS IN FLORIDA, DO NOW ISSUE THIS EDICT AND I HEREBY DIRECT:

(1) That, until further notice, no Lodge in this Grand Jurisdiction of Florida, F. & A. M., nor any of its Masters, Wardens and Brethren, recognize or admit or permit visitations into such Lodge by a Brother claiming Masonic membership through a Lodge of Cuba, except and unless such Brother present a Certificate for Visitation, approving such brother, issued by the Cuban Avouchment Committee of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge F. & A. M., and bearing the Great Seal of the Grand Lodge F. & A. M. of Florida and the signature of the Grand Secretary thereof.

(2) That except as herein amended and modified, all other terms and conditions of the existing Edict of Most Worshipful Brother John T. Rose, Jr., shall remain in full force and effect.

(3) That this Edict shall be read at the next two regular meetings, i.e., stated communication of all particular lodges of the Grand Jurisdiction of Florida, after receipt hereof.

(4) That the Grand Secretary shall make such distribution of this Edict to the Masonic World as shall be appropriate.

"THIS EDICT MADE AND ISSUED and to be effective from this 27th day January, A.L. 5967, A.D. 1967."

Since there is no Grand Lodge of Cuba in Exile in Florida, and since the Grand Lodge of North Carolina does not recognize the Grand Lodge of Cuba in Cuba, we think it proper, in order to safeguard some future organization from assuming authority over the Documents of Cuban Masonry, to refuse recognition to either the Grand Lodge of Cuba in Cuba or whenever or wherever this authority is assumed.

Therefore, we do not recognize any organization referring to the Grand Lodge of Cuba, either in Cuba or in Exile, until such time as the Masons of Cuba regain their freedom and can be recognized by the majority of the Masonic World.

We recognize the generous attitude of the Grand Lodge of Florida in becoming the Repository of the Great Seal of the Grand Lodge of Cuba, A. F. & A. M. to hold in complete recess and darkness, so to remain in darkness until the Cuban people regain their freedom.

We move the adoption of this report.

Fraternally submitted,

CHARLES H. PUGH, P.G.M., *Chairman*

CALLED FROM LABOR TO REFRESHMENT

The minutes were read by the Grand Secretary and approved. Prayer was offered by W. Brother William S. Teachey, Grand Chaplain, and the Grand Lodge was called from Labor to Refreshment until 7:30 p.m., this (Wednesday) evening, April 19, 1967, in Memorial Auditorium, Fayetteville Street, in the City of Raleigh.

SECOND DAY—EVENING SESSION

The Grand Lodge was called from Refreshment to Labor at 7:30 p.m., on Wednesday, April 19, 1967, in Memorial Auditorium, Fayetteville Street, Raleigh, North Carolina. Prayer was offered by W. Brother William S. Teachey, Grand Chaplain. The minutes of the previous session were read for information.

RECEPTION OF B. EVERETT JORDAN

Honorable B. Everett Jordan, Senator in the United States Congress, was conducted by the Grand Marshal; presented by M. W. Brother James W. Brewer, P.G.M., Grand Treasurer; welcomed by the Grand Master; and escorted to the East. Brother Jordan addressed the Grand Lodge briefly.

REPORT OF THE GRAND LECTURER

(Docket No. 45)

The following report of the Grand Lecturer was received and entered on the record:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

The past three years in which I have been permitted to serve as Grand Lecturer has been one of the greatest, most rewarding and most enjoyable experiences of my Masonic Life. It is difficult to find words that would adequately express my sincere appreciation for the honor and privilege accorded me. I am particularly indebted to Most Worshipful G. Dudley Humphrey, Most Worshipful Sam A. Hennis and Most Worshipful Arnold J. Koonce, Past Grand Masters and Grand Master for appointing me Grand Lecturer for the past three years. For their guidance and wise counsel, I shall always be grateful.

The year 1966 was one in which considerable progress was made in the field of ritualistic proficiency and Masonic Education. To the several Grand Lodge Officers and others who have given generously of their time and wise counsel goes the credit for whatever achievement has been accomplished.

I am particularly indebted to Most Worshipful Charles A. Harris, Past Grand Master and Grand Secretary and to Brother R. Pete Dudley for their assistance, guidance, co-operation as well as the facilities of the office at my disposal throughout the year. To Brother Louis Shrier, Secretary Board of Custodians, and to the other members of the Board of Custodians, I express my sincere thanks for their guidance, counsel, kind advice, support and courteous co-operation.

I would like to pay special tribute to the fine dedicated group of District Deputy Grand Lecturers. These brethren have labored hard and given unselfishly of their time and talents in carrying out their tasks. Too little recognition is given them and to them belong the credit for any achievement reported. The District Deputy Grand Masters throughout the state have co-operated with the District Deputy Grand Lecturers in carrying out their various assignments and I am happy to take this means to thank them for their wonderful co-operation.

I am grateful for the many kind invitations to visit with you at your Schools of Instruction, your District Meetings, your communications, your banquets, etc., and I apologize that I could accept so few of them. However, I have spent most of my available time on the administrative details of the important task of Grand Lecturer.

To Brothers W. Howard Hardy, W. Herman Hardee, N. C. Dean and Marion T. Ross and others, I wish to thank you for your generous time, hard work, co-operation and assistance on revising the OSW. I think it is a fine piece of work and a job well done.

REPLACEMENT OF DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND LECTURERS

There have been two replacements during the year 1966-67. Bro. Joseph S. Lane, P.M., C.L., District Deputy Grand Lecturer appointed for the eighth Masonic District, resigned on September 5, 1966 and Bro. William F. Thomason was appointed to fill the unexpired term. Bro. Ronald W. Loftis, P.M., C.L., District Deputy Grand Lecturer for the thirteenth Masonic District, resigned October 10, 1966 and Bro. Morton Fleishman was appointed to fill the unexpired term.

We were saddened by the death of Brother Griffin G. Edgerton, who was District Deputy Grand Lecturer of the fifteenth Masonic District. Brother Edgerton passed away on 5 February 1967. He had completed his work and done an outstanding job in his district for the year. Brother Edgerton had forwarded completed reports prior to his death, therefore his unexpired term has not been filled.

LECTURE SERVICE

To my sorrow, I am unable to report that for the first time in several years all lodges in this Grand Jurisdiction are not current as to Lecture Service for the year 1966. I think this can be attributed to the fact that the new OSW's did not get off the press and delivered to the lodges quite as soon as we anticipated. To those lodges who have remained current I want to thank you and to those who have not and are overdue or due, please go forth immediately and get the job completed. It will be a great relief to your incoming Grand Lecturer for him to be able to report next April that all lodges are current with Lecture Service.

REPORT ON RITUALISTIC WORK AND ACTIVITIES

Of the fifty-eight Masonic Districts in the state, fifty-four have filed a report on conditions and activities of the lodges in their districts as required by THE CODE. Four failed to report. Forty-four Districts report that two or more Schools of Instruction were held, eleven had only one school and three districts (9-35-50) failed to report.

MASONIC EDUCATION

The Lodge System of Masonic Education, which has been stressed and promoted by the Board of Custodians, is being used extensively throughout the jurisdiction. The reports indicate 347 lodges are now using this system. Six lodges (91-99-263-460-515-535-576) according to reports state that it is not being used, and no information is available on this subject from nineteen lodges in Districts 9-16-35-50. I am confident that most all of the lodges in these districts are using the Lodge System of Masonic Education but it failed to be reported.

DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND LECTURERS—1967-68

The following brethren are recommended for the position of District Deputy Grand Lecturer for the ensuing year:

1	Willie P. Goodwin	Edenton
2	William P. Harrell	P. O. Box 114, Colerain
3	Ephey B. Priest	Box 52, Manteo
4	Wilmer C. Chesson	Box 602, Plymouth
5	Earnest Coy Avery	205 W. Martinsborough Rd., Greenville
6	W. R. Leggett	617 Meriwether Lane, Kinston
7	William R. Waters	1701 Green Spring Road, New Bern
8	William F. Thomason	1108 River Road, Jacksonville
9	James I. Reynolds	Box 853, Clinton
10	Alvis R. Hardy	1010 Cypress Drive, Wilmington
11	Coolidge Wright	Clarendon
12	Thomas W. White	1007 Riverside Dr., Lumberton
13	Morton Fleishman	116 Donaldson St., Fayetteville
14	T. Eugene Tart	Rt. 1, Newton Grove
15	J. F. Butler Holt	Rt. 2, Princeton
16	L. Ralph Howell	Cherry Hospital, Box 21, Goldsboro
17	Paul A. Bailey	Rt. 2, Lucama
18	Wilbur F. Cox	1214 W. Thomas St., Rocky Mount
19	C. G. Grant	121 Jackson St., Roanoke Rapids
20	Charles E. Eldridge	40 Vance Street, Roanoke Rapids
21	Grady I. Carriker	Rt. 1, Kittrell
22	Horace L. Macon	Rt. 2, Wake Forest
23	R Gage Smith	1116 Norris St., Raleigh
24	Bruce C. Ferrell	Rt. 3, Apex
25	Hubert V. Massengill	Rt. 3, Carbondon Road, Sanford
26	Beulah A. Cox	Ellerbe
27	Bobby J. Godwin	7124 Lakeside Dr., Charlotte
28	Lee Roy Whitley	1202 W. Main St., Albemarle
29	Keith G. Hodgins	721 Worth St., Asheboro
30	Robert B. Saunders	417 Banks St., Graham
31	Charles T. Fletcher	1410 Woodland Drive, Durham
32	L. E. Tuten	Box 248, Henderson
33	Fred Lawrence McDowell	Box 156, Reidsville
34	William D. Maness	405 Mimosa Drive, Greensboro
35	Robert W. Woosley	1716 Grace St., Winston-Salem
36	Dewey W. Shelton	Box 4041, High Point
37	H. Clifford Beaver	1109 Emerald St., Salisbury
38	Billy Love	Concord
39	Max Hamilton	Rt. 11, Charlotte
40	Walter C. Mahaffey	1729 Chatham Ave., Charlotte
41	Raymond E. Rhyne	407 Hawthorne St., Mount Holly
42	Johnnie Eugene Howell	1910 White St., Gastonia
43	Robert L. Beam	Rt. 1, Grover
44	Elwyn D. Bowman	Rt. 3, Hickory
45	William A. Davidson	235 N. Academy St., Mooresville
46	Robert V. Martin	Lewisville
47	William W. Wilkins	Box 310, Mount Airy
48	James M. Goins	Wilbar
49	Franklin W. Royal	Glade Valley

50	Oscar J. Aldridge	Rt. 11, Box 111, New Bern
51	Joe T. Bailiff	Rt. 1, Elk Park
52	Gilbert J. Mathis	Box 631, Spindale
53	George M. Slagle	Rt. 1, Box 46, Alexander
54	Horace B. Self	65 Appian Way, Arden
55	James Hall, Jr.	Hendersonville
56	Reuben W. Rector	Rt. 1, Box 609, Canton
57	Kolen Flack	Bryson City
58	J. D. Decker	Box 142, Murphy

Respectfully submitted,

E. FLOYD DUNN, P. M., C.L.,

P.D.D.G.M., *Grand Lecturer*

RESOLUTION TO AMEND BAHNSON'S MANUAL

(Docket No. 46)

The following resolution of the Board of Custodians to amend the Bahnson's Manual was read by W. Brother E. Floyd Dunn, Grand Lecturer, entered on the record and adopted:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

BE IT RESOLVED, That in the Bahnson's Manual at Page 39, in the Charge of First Degree in Masonry to an Entered Apprentice, the last sentence be deleted, which now reads as follows:

"If in the circle of your acquaintance, you find a person desirous of being initiated into Masonry, be particularly attentive not to recommend him unless you are convinced he will conform to our rules; that the honor, glory, and reputation of the institution may be firmly established, and the world at large convinced of its good effects."

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That in the Bahnson's Manual at Page 68 in the Charge of the Third Degree in Masonry to a Master Mason after the words "and customs of the Fraternity." add another paragraph to read as follows:

"If in the circle of your acquaintance, you find a person desirous of being initiated into Masonry, be particularly attentive not to recommend him unless you are convinced he will conform to our rules; that the honor, glory, and reputation of the institution may be firmly established, and the world at large convinced of its good effects."

REPORT OF PRESIDENT BOARD OF DIRECTORS, MASONIC AND EASTERN STAR HOME, INC.

(Docket No. 47)

The following report of the President of the Board of Directors of the Masonic and Eastern Star Home, Inc. was received and entered on the record:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

At the beginning of the year we had 112 Guests enrolled in your Home at Greensboro and on December 31, 1966 our enrollment was 130. Though we admitted 29 during the year we lost only 11 by death and

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none by withdrawal. For the year we had an average daily enrollment of 111.5 at a per capita cost of \$1,838.36. At this time there are 26 approved applicants on our waiting list.

Our new residence wing was completed in November and 20 new Guests were admitted therein during the month of December. This building cost \$329,874.91 and the Masons' 60% share of this cost was \$197,924.95, while the members of the Order of the Eastern Star paid 40% which amounted to \$131,949.96.

We constantly strive for an awareness of fire and accident hazards in the thinking of all employees and Guests at the Home. Recently we put into operation a new fire alarm system at a cost of \$6300.00 which alerts the Greensboro Fire Department automatically in case of fire. Every room and closet is protected by the sprinkler system.

By the end of April we hope to have in operation an air conditioning unit which will give much needed relief in our new dining room. Glasgow-Graham, Inc., was the low bidder for this contract in the amount of \$15,000.00. Also by this time we will have completed the basement floor of the new building which will accommodate three couples and one single resident.

However many the past achievements, we have not done all that needs to be done. We need an incinerator which is required by the city fire code. We need an inter-communication system for our new building. We need to have our parking lot paved and our driveway widened. We need a sidewalk to the street with a hand rail. We need a larger Infirmary primarily because our Guests are living longer and their inactive days are proportionately increasing.

The progress on our ten-year expansion program is impressive to say the least, if not remarkable. \$751,736.26 has been expended on new facilities at the Home since the Fall of 1964. Every Mason and Star can be proud of these added assets to the Home which will provide better care and comfort for our Worthy Guests.

It is significant to note that we received \$47,310.30 from the Blue Lodges in 1957 as compared to \$123,234.16 during 1966. Nine years ago the annual support from the O.E.S. was \$31,307.72 while last year the Grand Chapter, O.E.S. contributed \$92,840.32 toward operating expense and \$131,949.96 of the new residence wing.

Following is a Statement of Operating Income and Disbursements for the year 1966:

OPERATING INCOME

Grand Lodge Appropriation.....	\$ 50,000.00
Subordinate Lodges and all Masonic Sources.....	124,234.16
Grand Chapter, O.E.S.....	92,840.32
Guests in Home.....	52,073.01
All Other.....	73.05
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	\$319,220.54

DISBURSEMENTS

Administrative	\$ 32,440.08
Direct Care of Guests.....	138,992.04
Plant Operation.....	33,652.82
Home Aid.....	1,540.00
Furnishings for New Wing & Dining Room.....	57,621.91
Capital Improvements.....	20,000.00
M.R.—applied on New Wing.....	34,973.69
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	\$319,220.54

The Sunshine Fund furnished by friends provides a few extras for the Guests and the Carson York Rite Fund furnished by the Grand York Rite Bodies provides daily papers and periodicals for the Guests. For these gifts we are most grateful.

The members of your Board of Directors deem it an honor and responsible privilege to serve in this capacity. Indeed, we are encouraged by the most generous support of the Home by the Eastern Stars, Masons and others who believe in and cooperate with us in this benevolent ministry.

Fraternally yours,

ROBERT N. BASS, Jr., *President*

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

(Docket No. 48)

The following report of the Committee on Finance was presented by M. W. Brother Sam A. Hennis, Jr., P.G.M., and unanimously adopted:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

Your Finance Committee reports that they have checked the report of the Grand Secretary and the audit of the Auditor, and find that the Grand Secretary's office received the following amounts from the sources tabulated, and in parallel columns are shown the estimates in 1966:

Item I	Actual	Budget
1. From lodges; per capita, initiation fees, charity, penalties and other charges....	\$190,373.50	\$189,125.00
2. North Carolina Masonic Foundation....	54,040.66	58,000.00
3. Sales of books and manuals.....	3,080.63	3,200.00
4. Interest Earned.....	3,944.78	2,000.00
5. Drewry Memorial Grand Sec. Fund....	3,731.90	3,000.00
6. Miscellaneous Income.....	292.51	
7. Grand Lodge Demits.....	20.00	
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Total Income.....	\$255,483.98	\$255,325.00

Estimates of income were very close to actual, being only \$158.98 more than the estimate. Our budgeted estimate was also less than estimated by \$1,162.51. We are delighted that we were able to keep our expense within our budget.

We have checked the audit of the North Carolina Foundation and note that the Grand Lodge received from the Foundation \$54,040.66. We wish to commend the Directors of the Foundation for the excellent

job they are doing. We recommend that the income from the Foundation be contributed directly to the Oxford Orphanage and the Masonic and Eastern Star Home and that the amount paid by the Foundation to each of our charities be deducted from our donation in our budget.

We recommend that a small operating balance be retained and any surplus left in the General Fund at the end of the year be transferred to the capital investment of the Foundation.

REPORT OF THE GRAND TREASURER

Receipts

Balance January 1, 1966.....	\$ 8,568.93
Received from the Grand Secretary.....	262,703.30
Total Receipts.....	\$271,272.23

Disbursements

Vouchers Numbers 1-66 through 791-66.....	265,429.31
Balance December 31, 1966.....	\$ 5,842.92

REPORT OF RESERVE ACCOUNTS AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1966

Reserve for cost of reprinting the O.S.W.....	\$ 11,917.10
Reserve for reprinting THE CODE.....	7,348.95
Reserve for Grand Lodge Building Account.....	15,499.68
Reserve for Book Sales Account.....	2,183.14
Total Reserves.....	\$ 36,948.87

EXPENDITURES IN 1966

Orphanage, Home and Charity.....	\$100,550.00
Salaries.....	42,030.93
Masonic Dues.....	6,242.19
Sundry Expense.....	16,734.69
Grand Representatives, Out of State.....	3,392.72
Expense, Grand Secretary's Office.....	13,191.00
Expense, Annual Communication.....	13,510.42
Expense, District Deputies, Visiting Lodges.....	2,124.26
Expense, Executive Office Building.....	17,929.75
Miscellaneous Expense.....	24,076.53
Total Expense.....	\$239,782.49

ESTIMATE OF INCOME IN 1967

65,960 Masons @ \$2.50.....	\$164,900.00
2257 Initiations @ \$1.00.....	2,257.00
2257 Charity Fees @ \$10.00.....	22,570.00
Drewry Fund Income.....	4,000.00
N. C. Masonic Foundation Income.....	58,000.00
Savings & Loan Dividends.....	2,400.00
Sales of Books.....	3,500.00
Total Income.....	\$257,627.00
Bank Balance December 31, 1966.....	5,842.92
Total Estimated Income in 1967.....	\$263,469.92
Less Total Proposed Budget.....	253,140.00
Operating Balance.....	\$ 10,329.92

BUDGET

It is recommended that the following budget be adopted and appropriations be made therefor for 1967:

Orphanage, Home and Charity

101—Oxford Orphanage.....	50,000.00
102—Masonic and Eastern Star Home.....	50,000.00
103—Charity	2,000.00

Salaries

201—Grand Secretary.....	12,000.00
202—Grand Treasurer.....	850.00
203—Grand Tyler.....	100.00
204—Grand Historian.....	100.00
205—Fraternal Correspondent.....	300.00
206—Clerical Help, G. S. Office.....	20,000.00
207—Assistant to Grand Secretary.....	9,000.00
208—Social Security Taxes.....	1,625.00

Masonic Dues

301—Masonic Service Association.....	1,575.00
302—Grand Masters Conference.....	120.00
303—Grand Secretaries Conference.....	40.00
304—Masonic Relief Association.....	330.00
305—George Washington Masonic Nat'l. Memorial.....	1,000.00
306—M. S. A. for Hospital Visitation.....	3,000.00
307—Southeastern Masonic Conference.....	200.00

Sundry Expense

401—G. M. Off.—Travel—January-April 1.....	1,666.67
402—G. M. Off.—Travel—May-December.....	3,333.33
403—Grand Sec. Travel—Jan.-April.....	800.00
404—Grand Sec. Travel—May-December.....	1,600.00
405—Grand Treasurer's Office.....	150.00
406—Deputy G. M. Travel—Jan.-April.....	166.67
407—Deputy G. M. Travel—May-December.....	333.33
408—Lecture Service.....	7,500.00
409—Auditing	500.00

Grand Representatives, Out of State

501—Grand Masters Conference.....	1,200.00
502—Visiting Grand Lodges—Jan.-April.....	600.00
503—Visiting Grand Lodges—May-Dec.....	1,200.00
504—Representative MSA and GWMNMA.....	200.00
505—Representatives S. E. Conference.....	400.00
506—S. E. Conference, Asheville.....	1,600.00
507—Foreign Visitations.....	6,000.00

Expense, Grand Secretary's Office

601—Stationery, Printing, Supplies.....	4,200.00
602—Postage	1,800.00
603—Official Forms.....	700.00
604—Printing Proceedings.....	3,800.00
605—Printing Misc. Masonic Ceremonies.....	200.00
606—Reworking Old Proceedings.....	100.00

608—Reprinting The Code.....	3,500.00
609—Reserve for Book Sales.....	3,000.00
610—Pantagraph's Publications.....	350.00

Expense, Annual Communication

701—Grand Officers.....	2,000.00
702—Past Grand Officers.....	1,000.00
703—District Deputy Grand Masters.....	2,000.00
704—District Deputy Grand Lecturers.....	800.00
705—Boards, Commissions, Committees.....	1,000.00
706—Out of State Guests.....	1,000.00
707—Rentals, Dinners, Miscellaneous.....	4,000.00

Expense, District Deputies

751—Visiting Lodge, DDGMs.....	1,500.00
752—Visiting Lodges, DDGLs.....	800.00

Expense, Executive Office Building

801—Janitor Service.....	3,300.00
802—Light, Heat and Water.....	2,800.00
803—Telephone and Telegraph.....	1,350.00
804—Insurance.....	2,500.00
805—Janitorial Supplies.....	200.00
806—Maintenance of Grounds.....	1,000.00
807—Maintenance of Building.....	500.00
808—Maintenance of Equipment.....	1,450.00
809—Automobile Expense.....	250.00
810—Grand Lodge Office Bldg. Reserve.....	5,000.00

Miscellaneous Expense

901—Contingent.....	3,000.00
902—Refunds.....	100.00
903—Code Commission.....	500.00
904—Board of Custodians.....	3,750.00
905—Board of General Purposes.....	1,000.00
906—Judge Advocate.....	600.00
907—Committee on By-Laws.....	250.00
908—Lodge Service Commission.....	500.00
909—Employees Retirement Allowance.....	1,000.00
911—Automobile for Grand Master.....	1,500.00
912—Office Equipment.....	1,000.00
913—Portraits of Grand Masters.....	2,100.00
914—Order of DeMolay.....	400.00
915—Order of the Rainbow for Girls.....	200.00
916—Apron, Awards, Emblems, Jewels.....	1,500.00
917—Committee on Masonic Ceremonies and Misc. Publications.....	250.00
920—Reprinting the O.S.W.....	00
924—Employees Retirement Fund.....	2,400.00
925—Masonic Rally Days.....	2,500.00
926—The North Carolina Mason.....	1,000.00

Total Budgeted.....\$253,140.00

RECOMMENDATIONS

We recommend that the Grand Master have authority, when he deems it advisable, for the best interest of the Grand Lodge, to suspend the allotment made to any committee, activity, or agency of the Grand Lodge.

Furthermore, we recommend that when it shall appear to be for the best interest of the Grand Lodge, the Grand Master be authorized to give written authorization for this budget to be exceeded by any department, agency, or office to incur out of ordinary expenses not herein provided for within availability of funds.

Respectfully submitted,

HARVEY W. SMITH, P.G.M., *Chairman*

WILLIAM J. BUNDY, P.G.M.

WATSON N. SHERROD, P.G.M.

EDWIN T. HOWARD, P.G.M.

ALFRED A. KAUFER, JR., *Deputy Grand Master*

ROBERT N. BASS, JR., *Senior Grand Warden*

WILLIAM H. WHITE, P.G.M.

ROBERT L. PUGH, P.G.M.

SAM A. HENNIS, JR., P.G.M.

RESOLUTION OF THANKS TO RALEIGH

(Docket No. 49)

M. W. Brother Robert L. Pugh, P.G.M., presented the following resolution of thanks to the brethren of Raleigh and those of the 23rd, 24th and 25th Masonic Districts, and it was adopted:

For some time now, Masons have looked forward to meeting once again in the beautiful and capital city of Raleigh. Quite a number of brethren have expended many, many hours of labor in making possible all of the facilities necessary for a good and successful annual communication. To name these brethren would be impossible because so many of them have contributed so liberally and so generously of their time, but all of them have come from the Twenty-second, the Twenty-third and the Twenty-fourth Masonic Districts. To them we are indeed grateful for making our stay in Raleigh a most pleasant and happy experience. It has been one of the finest annual communications we have ever had. We always look forward to coming to Raleigh because we know that here we have the essence of hospitality which cannot be excelled in North Carolina except in one single instance in which the brethren will be privileged to participate next April, 1968. To the brethren of the Twenty-second, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Masonic Districts, the Grand Lodge of North Carolina wishes to express its deepest appreciation.

Respectfully submitted, ROBERT L. PUGH, P.G.M.

**FINAL REPORT OF
THE BOARD OF GENERAL PURPOSES**

(Docket No. 50)

The following report of the Board of General Purposes was read and adopted, including the election of members of

the Board of Directors of Oxford Orphanage, Incorporated, and the Masonic and Eastern Star Home of North Carolina, Incorporated:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

The Board of General Purposes has held regular meetings pursuant to the provisions of THE CODE, such meetings having been held on June 10, 1966; September 9, 1966; January 13, 1967; March 10, 1967; and April 18, 1967.

The June, September, January, and March meetings were held in the Grand Lodge Office Buildings, and the April meeting was held in the Sir Walter Hotel.

A Special meeting of the Board was held on November 25, 1966 in the Grand Lodge Office Building.

At each meeting of the Board, reports were made by the Grand Master, the Grand Treasurer, the Grand Secretary, the Chairman of the Finance Committee, the President of the North Carolina Masonic Foundation, Inc., and by other members of the Board of General Purposes relative to the various activities of the Grand Lodge.

At the meeting on April 18, 1967, action was taken relative to the distribution of the Report of the Grand Master, the several sections of the same being referred to the appropriate Board, Committee or Commission.

ELECTION OF MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF OXFORD ORPHANAGE, INCORPORATED

Pursuant to the provisions of Regulation 33-04, the Board nominates the following members of the Board of Directors of the Oxford Orphanage, Inc.:

Alfred A. Kafer, Jr., *Grand Master-elect*; Robert N. Bass, Jr., *Deputy Grand Master-elect*; William A. Hooks, *Senior Grand Warden-elect*; Maurice E. Walsh, *Junior Grand Warden-elect*; William J. Bundy, P.G.M.; Charles H. Pugh, P.G.M.

ELECTION OF MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE MASONIC AND EASTERN STAR HOME OF NORTH CAROLINA, INCORPORATED

Pursuant to the provisions of Regulation 33-04, the Board nominates the following members of the Board of Directors of the Oxford Orphanage, Inc.:

Alfred A. Kafer, Jr., *Grand Master-elect*; Robert N. Bass, Jr., *Deputy Grand Master-elect*; William A. Hooks, *Senior Grand Warden-elect*; Maurice E. Walsh, *Junior Grand Warden-elect*; James W. Brewer, P.G.M., *Grand Treasurer*; W. Edward Burrier, P.G.M.; Robert L. Pugh, P.G.M.; Sam A. Hennis, Jr., P.G.M.; Harvey W. Smith, P.G.M.; G. Dudley Humphrey, P.G.M.; Wilson S. Mitchell, Sr., P.M. (76); J. Lester Connelly, P.M. (561).

(Note: The nominations were *unanimously* confirmed by the Grand Lodge.)

OFFICERS APPOINTED BY THE GRAND MASTER-ELECT

William W. Mims, Jr., P.M.	<i>Senior Grand Deacon</i> (530) Charlotte
Berl M. Kahn, P.M., C.L.	<i>Junior Grand Deacon</i> (112) Goldsboro
Nathaniel C. Dean, P.M., C.L.	<i>Grand Marshal</i> (150) Norwood
William L. Mills, Jr., P.M.	<i>Grand Steward</i> (32) Concord
S. Frank Noble, Jr., P.M.	<i>Grand Steward</i> (3) New Bern
Fred F. Harding	<i>Grand Tyler</i> (500) Raleigh
Richard D. Shinkle	<i>Grand Chaplain</i> (706) New Bern
Emery B. Denny, P.M.	<i>Grand Historian</i> (668) Raleigh
Charles T. Potter, C.L.	<i>Grand Lecturer</i> (3) New Bern
B. Everett Jordan	<i>Grand Orator</i> (492) Washington, D. C.

BOARD OF GENERAL PURPOSES

The Grand Master-elect nominates M. W. Brother William J. Bundy, P.G.M. and M. W. Brother W. Edward Burrier, P.G.M., as members of the Board of General Purposes, for terms of three (3) years, expiring in 1970.

(Note: The nominations were *unanimously* confirmed by the Grand Lodge.)

**REPRESENTATIVE TO GEORGE WASHINGTON
MASONIC NATIONAL MEMORIAL ASSOCIATION**

The Grand Master-elect nominates M. W. Brother Robert L. Pugh, P.G.M. as Representative to the George Washington Masonic National Memorial Association.

(Note: The nomination was *unanimously* confirmed by the Grand Lodge.)

REPRESENTATIVE TO MASONIC SERVICE ASSOCIATION

The Grand Master-elect nominates M. W. Brother Robert L. Pugh, P.G.M., as Representative to the Masonic Service Association.

(Note: The nomination was *unanimously* confirmed by the Grand Lodge.)

BOARD OF CUSTODIANS

The Grand Master-elect appoints W. Brother William L. Adams, P.M., C.L. (725) and W. Brother Reynold S. Davenport, P.M., C.L. (680) as members of the Board of Custodians for terms of three years, expiring in 1970.

COMMITTEE ON APPEALS

The Grand Master-elect nominates W. Brother Maurice J. Stokes, P.M. (729) as a member of the Committee on Appeals for a term of five years, expiring in 1972.

(Note: The nomination was *unanimously* confirmed by the Grand Lodge.)

DREWRY MEMORIAL GRAND SECRETARY'S FUND

The Grand Master-elect appoints Brothers Elwood B. Dixon (218) and Herbert B. Ruffin (40), as members on the Board of Trustees of the Drewry Memorial Grand Secretary's Fund. (The will of John C. Drewry provides that the Trustees must be residents of Raleigh.)

DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND MASTERS

The Grand Master-elect appoints fifty-eight (58) District Deputy Grand Masters to serve the 58 Masonic Districts of North Carolina for the Masonic year 1967-68.

(Note: For a list of District Deputy Grand Masters, see Page of these Proceedings.)

RESOLUTION OF BOARD OF PUBLICATION

We recommend the approval of the resolution of the Board of Publication pertaining to the publication which will be sent to all members of subordinate lodges in North Carolina.

GRAND MASTER ARNOLD JACKSON KOONCE, SR.

When our Grand Master was installed in Winston-Salem, North Carolina, in April of 1966, and assumed the title of "Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina," he delivered a very significant and inspiring address of acceptance of the responsibilities of this office. It was indeed prophetic of the high moral and spiritual fundamentals he was to enunciate throughout the remainder of his year as Grand Master. In that address he made this very significant comment: "I just want a good year for this Grand Lodge. I don't care much about Arnold Koonce. I just want the Grand Lodge of North Carolina to have a good year. I want you to enjoy Masonry. I want to enjoy it with you. If you will become great, become the servant of all and acquaint now thyself with Him and be at peace."

The idea expressed in this acceptance statement embodied the philosophy of our Grand Master. He was not interested in himself. He did not wish to place himself in a position of superiority in any sense of the word. His primary concern, and his greatest responsibility were concentrated in a sincere and dynamic endeavor to place the Grand Lodge of North Carolina in a position of preeminence. It was to glorify the Grand Lodge that he dedicated himself and his innumerable talents during his year. That moment in Winston-Salem was a moment of rededication to the fundamental principles of Freemasonry in which he so strongly believed.

Consistent with his desire as expressed in that inaugural statement, it can be safely said that the Grand Lodge has had a good year. The Grand Lodge has witnessed a tremendous upsurge of interest and enthusiasm in the cause of Freemasonry, and this commendable in-

crease has been due in no small measure to the magnificent manner in which the Grand Master traveled the length and breadth of this great State preaching the doctrine and the gospel of brotherly love in the fatherhood of God.

Not only in his district meetings, but also in his meetings with individual lodges, his meetings with other allied Masonic organizations, and in his numerous visits throughout our State, he has carried the beautiful message of Masonry. Furthermore, he has ably represented the Grand Lodge of North Carolina in his visits to far-flung Grand Jurisdictions.

His ability to express himself so beautifully, which is accompanied by a most complementary degree of spirituality, was recognized by officials of the Grand Masters' Conference when in February of 1967, the Grand Masters of Masons throughout the world assembled in Washington, D. C., for the observance of what has become known as Masonic Week. At that time our Grand Master was chosen by the authorities to serve as the Chaplain of the Grand Masters' Conference. The prayers that he uttered in this official capacity were inspiring in every sense of the word. They were beautiful, they were well phrased and spoken from a heart and a soul that seemed to be possessed of a calmness and a peace that created a reverential atmosphere. Many Grand Masters and other official dignitaries from other states commented liberally and freely upon the high quality and the beautiful spirit embodied in the prayers of our Grand Master upon this occasion.

Furthermore, during the meeting of the Masonic Service Association, he, as a member of the Committee on Membership, was selected to present the report from this committee.

Thus, in so many respects, the Masons of North Carolina have every reason to be proud of this year; to be proud of the leadership which our Grand Master has given; to be proud of the direction which he has given to the affairs of the Grand Lodge. He has given the most careful thought and attention to every phrase of Masonic life in our State, and we can safely say that Freemasonry in North Carolina is in a much better and a much healthier condition today because of the careful attention our Grand Master has given to the responsibility he so humbly accepted a year ago. Masons throughout North Carolina will reflect upon this year of tremendous Masonic activity, and with a smile of approbation and an approving benediction can be united in a heartfelt vocal chorus of "well done."

Respectfully submitted,

ALFRED A. KAER, JR., D.G.M.

ROBERT N. BASS, JR., S.G.W.

WILLIAM A. HOOKS, J.G.W.

JAMES W. BREWER, G.T.

CHARLES A. HARRIS, G.S.

WILLIAM J. BUNDY, P.G.M.

W. EDWARD BURRIER, P.G.M.

CHARLES H. PUGH, P.G.M.

ROBERT L. PUGH, P.G.M.

WATSON N. SHERROD, P.G.M.

EDWIN T. HOWARD, P.G.M.

DIRECTOR OF THE NORTH CAROLINA MASONIC FOUNDATION, INC.

(Docket No. 51)

M. W. Brother William J. Bundy, P.G.M., nominated Brother Henry L. Bridges (76) to fill the unexpired term of Brother Watson N. Sherrod, P.G.M. who resigned as a Director of the North Carolina Masonic Foundation, Inc., said term expiring in 1969. The nomination was duly seconded, and there being no further nominations, Brother Henry L. Bridges was duly elected. R. W. Brother Alfred A. Kafer, Jr., Grand Master-elect, nominated M. W. Brother Charles A. Harris, P.G.M., Grand Secretary, to succeed himself as a member on the Board of Directors of the North Carolina Masonic Foundation, Inc., for a period of five (5) years, expiring in 1972. The nomination was duly seconded, and there being no further nominations, M. W. Brother Charles A. Harris was duly elected.

LABOR DISPENSED WITH IN GRAND LODGE

The time having arrived for the installation of officers, LABOR WAS DISPENSED WITH, and the public was admitted for the Ceremony.

OPEN INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS

The following officers of the Grand Lodge were duly installed in a Ceremony of Open Installation by M. W. Brother Robert L. Pugh, P.G.M., Acting as Grand Master, assisted by M. W. Brother William J. Bundy, P.G.M., Acting as Grand Marshal and Brother Benjamin F. Gillikin, Acting as Assistant Grand Marshal.

<i>Grand Master</i> -----	Alfred Albrecht Kafer, Jr., P.M. (3) New Bern
<i>Deputy Grand Master</i> -----	Robert Norman Bass, Jr., P.M. (97) Raleigh
<i>Senior Grand Warden</i> -----	William Arthur Hooks, P.M., C.L. (84) Smithfield
<i>Junior Grand Warden</i> -----	Maurice Elledge Walsh, P.M. (407) North Wilkesboro
<i>Grand Treasurer</i> -----	James Woodrow Brewer, P.G.M. (708) Greenville
<i>Grand Secretary</i> -----	Charles Anderson Harris, P.G.M. (113) Raleigh
<i>Senior Grand Deacon</i> -----	William Watson Mims, Jr., P.M. (530) Charlotte
<i>Junior Grand Deacon</i> -----	Berl Maurice Kahn, P.M., C.L. (112) Goldsboro
<i>Grand Marshal</i> -----	Nathaniel Cook Dean, P.M., C.L. (150) Norwood

<i>Grand Steward</i>	William Lee Mills, Jr., P.M. (32) Concord
<i>Grand Steward</i>	Stephen Franklin Noble, Jr., P.M. (3) New Bern
<i>Grand Orator</i>	Benjamin Everett Jordan (492) Washington, D. C.
<i>Grand Chaplain</i>	Richard Dallum Shinkle, Jr. (706) New Bern
<i>Grand Tyler</i>	Fred Farley Harding, P.M. (500) Raleigh

PRESENTATION OF PAST GRAND MASTER'S APRON TO THE GRAND MASTER

A Past Grand Master's Apron was presented to M.'. W.'. Brother Alfred Albrecht Kafer, Jr., Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina, by M.'. W.'. Brother Robert L. Pugh, Past Grand Master.

PAST GRAND MASTER'S JEWEL PRESENTED TO M.'. W.'. ARNOLD JACKSON KOONCE, SR.

Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina

A Past Grand Masters' Jewel was presented to M.'. W.'. Brother Arnold Jackson Koonce, Sr., P.G.M., by M.'. W.'. Brother Robert L. Pugh, P.G.M.

M.'. W.'. BROTHER ROBERT L. PUGH, P.G.M.:

Most Worshipful Sir, for the first time now I address you as Past Grand Master. When I was moved into that position, sometimes considered exalted, I was told by the good brother who was presenting me the Jewel at that time that he would welcome me to the ranks of Past Grand Master and that there was nothing "paster." Most Worshipful Sir, in just a few short hours you will find that so true. You will return to your home, your beloved city of High Point, in a few hours and the telephone bell which rang so frequently heretofore will not ring so often. The mail which brought so many letters may not bring so many letters. The calls upon your services will not be so extensive, and perhaps you will have a little depressed feeling. But to offset that feeling of depression, the Grand Lodge of North Carolina wants to present to you this token of its appreciation of the services you have rendered and the hours of devotion that you have given to the cause you have represented so well—this Past Grand Master's Jewel. I present it to you, Sir, knowing that you will wear it with happy reflections upon the experiences which you have enjoyed so much. We congratulate you upon all you have done and wish for you the very finest and best in the future. God bless you.

INSTALLATION REMARKS OF M.'. W.'. BROTHER ALFRED ALBRECHT KAFER, JR.

Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina

Most Worshipful Past Grand Masters, my Brethren of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina, Ladies and our Distinguished Guests, it is with a feeling of pride and yet humility that I now stand before you

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as your Grand Master. I wish to thank the brethren for electing me to this honored position. I am deeply grateful to Past Grand Master Harvey W. Smith for appointing me as Grand Steward in 1960 here in Raleigh. To Past Grand Master Robert L. Pugh, who installed the Grand Lodge Officers and presented me my Grand Master's Apron and who has been a guiding light to me at all times, my gratitude and friendship. To Past Grand Master William J. Bundy for being Grand Marshal and always willing to help a friend and brother, thanks. To Brother Ben F. Gillikin, who was Assistant Grand Marshal and a long-time friend, my thanks also. To all those present, including the Past Masters and brethren of St. John's Lodge and all the friends from my New Bern area, Brothers and Ladies and all the others who had a part in the installation service, I shall ever be grateful. To all the other brethren and others, I am also grateful for what you have done for me.

Now I realize the responsibility of this office and with the help of you brethren and our most efficient Grand Secretary, Past Grand Master Charles A. Harris and his able assistant, Robert Pete Dudley, I will try to fill this obligation to the best of my ability.

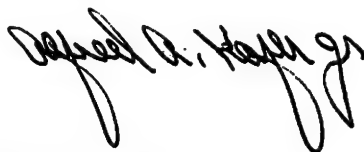
To Deputy Grand Master Robert N. Bass, Jr. and the Raleigh brethren who prepared this Open Installation and the music, I am thankful to you for it.

I could not close tonight without expressing my deep love and gratitude to my wife, Penny, for the marvelous support she has given me in my Masonic undertakings.

As I come to the close of my remarks, again thanks to all, and I earnestly seek the support of all the brethren in this Grand Jurisdiction during my term as your Grand Master.

LABOR RESUMED**GRAND LODGE CLOSED IN DUE FORM**

All visitors having been excused, LABOR WAS RESUMED and the minutes were read and approved. Prayer was offered by W. Brother Richard D. Shinkle, Jr., Grand Chaplain, and the Grand Lodge was closed in DUE FORM.



Grand Master

ATTEST

I certify that the foregoing Proceedings are a true and correct record of the official transactions of the Grand Lodge of A. F. & A. M. of North Carolina, at a Communication held April 18-19, 1967, and that they were prepared by me from the detailed minutes of that Communication, and were published under my supervision.



Grand Secretary

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DUPLICATE

No. 146

SIT LUX ET LUX FIT

1887

We

The Grand Lodge

of
Ancient Free and Accepted Masons
Of North Carolina

In Ample Form assembled, according to the Old Constitution regularly and solemnly established under the auspices of Prince Edwin at the City of York, in Great Britain, in the year of Masonry 4326, viz:

The Right Worshipful	Alfred Albrecht Kafer, Jr.	Deputy Grand Master
The Right Worshipful	Robert Norman Bass, Jr.	Senior Grand Warden
The Right Worshipful	William Arthur Hooks	Junior Grand Warden

Do by these Presents

appoint, authorize, and empowers our worthy Brother James Clyde Helton to be the Master, our worthy Brother Benjamin Burton Killian to be the Senior Warden, and our worthy Brother Charles Hannibal Hyatt to be the Junior Warden of a Lodge of Ancient Free and Accepted Masons, to be by virtue hereof constituted, formed, and held in Murphy, which Lodge shall be distinguished by the name or style of Cherokee Number 146, and the said Master and Wardens and their successors in office are hereby respectively authorized and directed, by and with the consent and assistance of the members of the said Lodge present upon such occasions, to elect and install the officers of the said Lodge as vacancies happen in manner and form as is or may be prescribed by the Constitution and laws of this Grand Lodge. And further, the said Lodge is hereby invested with full power and authority to assemble upon proper and lawful occasions to make, Masons, and to admit members, as also to do and perform all and every such acts and things appertaining to the Craft as have been and ought to be done for the honor and advantage thereof, conforming in all their proceedings to the Constitution and laws of this Grand Lodge; otherwise this warrant and the powers thereby granted are to cease and to be of no further effect.



Given under our hands and the seal of our Grand Lodge at the City of Raleigh, North Carolina, in the United States of America this Nineteenth day of April in the year of our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixty-seven and in the year of Masonry Five thousand Nine Hundred and Sixty-seven

Charles A. Harris Grand Secretary
George J. Francis Grand Master

NOTE: This Duplicate Charter is issued pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 40 of THE CODE of 1949, as amended in 1951, because the original Charter was destroyed by fire in January, 1967. The original Charter issued to Cherokee Lodge No. 146 was dated September 8, 1902 and signed by Most Worshipful James T. Jernigan, Grand Master and Right Worshipful William L. Hahn, Grand Secretary.

DUPLICATE CHARTER ISSUED
TO CHEROKEE LODGE NO. 146

PROCEEDINGS OF THE **ROSTER OF AWARDS OF JOSEPH MONTFORT MEDALS**

Established 1940

(Arranged According to Date Awarded)



1940

- *M.·W.·MELVIN MAYNARD JOHNSON, Past Grand Master of Masons in Massachusetts
- *M.·W.·JOHN HUSKE ANDERSON, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina, Grand Secretary of the Grand Lodge of A.F. & A.M. of North Carolina
- M.·W.·THOMAS JOSHUA HARKINS, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina

1941

- *M.·W.·RAYMOND CROMWELL DUNN, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina
- *M.·W.·CHARLES BAILEY NEWCOMB, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina
- †M.·W.·JOHN EDWARD ALLEN, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina

1942

- M.·W.·WILLIAM MOSELEY BROWN, Past Grand Master of Masons in Virginia
- *M.·W.·ALEXANDER BOYD ANDREWS, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina
- *W.·WILLIAM RITCHIE SMITH, Past Master, Raleigh Lodge No. 500, A.F. & A.M., North Carolina

1943

- *M.·W.·HERBERT CLAUDE ALEXANDER, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina, Grand Treasurer of The Grand Lodge of A.F. & A.M. of North Carolina
- M.·W.·WATSON NEWBERRY SHERROD, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina
- M.·W.·CHARLES PATTERSON ELDRIDGE, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina

1944

- *M.·W.·HUBERT McNEILL POTEAT, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina
- M.·W.·JAMES GILES HUDSON, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina
- *W.·CREASY KINION PROCTOR, Past Master, Hiram Lodge No. 40, A.F. & A.M., North Carolina

* Deceased

† Nonaffiliated

1945

- *M..W..JOHN HENRY COWLES, Past Grand Master of Masons in Kentucky
- *M..W..EDGAR WALTER TIMBERLAKE, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina
- W..F. W. MOODY WHITE, Past Master, Royal White Hart Lodge No. 2, A.F. & A.M., North Carolina

1946

- *M..W..JOHN WALLACE WINBORNE, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina
- *M..W..JAMES EDWARD SHIPMAN, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina
- *M..W..JULIUS C. HOBBS, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina

1947

- *M..W..CARL HARRY CLAUDY, Past Grand Master of Masons in the District of Columbia, and Executive Secretary of the Masonic Service Association of the United States
- BROTHER GEORGE RICHARD BENNETTE, Superintendent of the Masonic and Eastern Star Home of N. C., Inc.
- *R..W..WILBUR LEROY MCIVER, Past Master, Grand Secretary of The Grand Lodge of A.F. & A.M. of North Carolina

1948

- †W..JOHN RAYMOND SHUTE, Past Master, North Carolina Lodge of Research No. 666, A.F. & A.M., North Carolina
- M..W..ROGER KEITH, Grand Master of Masons in Massachusetts
- R..W..MAXWELL ELLIS HOFFMAN, Deputy Grand Master of The Grand Lodge of A.F. & A.M. of North Carolina

1949

- *M..W..LUTHER THOMPSON HARTSELL, JR., Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina
- M..W..WILLIAM JAMES BUNDY, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina
- *W..JOHN RUFUS MCCrackEN, Past Master, Waynesville Lodge No. 259, A.F. & A.M., North Carolina

1950

- *M..W..JAMES WALKER PAYNE, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina
- *BROTHER FRANK MULLEN PINNIX, Editor of *The Orphans' Friend and Masonic Journal*
- *M..W..OLIVER FRANKLIN HART, Past Grand Master of Masons in South Carolina, Grand Secretary of the Grand Lodge of A.F.M., South Carolina

1951

- W..FRED CLINTON KINZIE, Grand Lecturer of The Grand Lodge of A.F. & A.M. of North Carolina

* Deceased † Nonaffiliated

- *W.'.HUGH WILLIAMSON PRINCE, Past Master, Palmyra Lodge No. 147, A.F. & A.M., North Carolina
- *M.'.W.'.ENOCH DORROR FLOWERS, Past Grand Master of Masons in Virginia

1952

- *M.'.W.'.WALLACE EVERETT CALDWELL, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina
- W.'.HARRISON KAUFFMAN, Past Master, Hiram Lodge No. 40, A.F. & A.M., North Carolina
- *W.'.SAMUEL NEWMAN BOYCE, Past Master, Gastonia Lodge No. 369, A.F. & A.M., North Carolina

1953

- *M.'.W.'.HERBERT MILES FOY, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina
- *W.'.EDWIN WALKER YATES, Past Master, William G. Hill Lodge No. 218, A.F. & A.M., North Carolina
- *M.'.W.'.JAMES NOAH HILLMAN, Past Grand Master of Masons in Virginia, Grand Secretary of the Grand Lodge of A.F. & A.M. of Virginia

1954

- M.'.W.'.WILLIAM HENRY WHITE, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina
- *M.'.W.'.RUDOLPH REYNOLDS COOKE, Past Grand Master of Masons in Virginia
- BROTHER CLAUDE BABINGTON SQUIRES, Member of Joppa Lodge No. 530, A.F. & A.M., North Carolina

1955

- M.'.W.'.EDWIN TURLINGTON HOWARD, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina
- W.'.A. D. LEON GRAY, Past Master, Superintendent of Oxford Orphanage
- W.'.JOHN EDWARD ROOKER, JR., Past Master, Johnston Caswell Lodge No. 10, A.F. & A.M., North Carolina

1956

- R.'.E.'.JOHN H. PARKER, Grand Secretary-Recorder of the Grand York Rite Bodies of North Carolina
- M.'.W.'.A. J. M. WANNAMAKER, Past Grand Master of Masons in South Carolina
- M.'.W.'.ROBERT LEE PUGH, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina

1957

- M.'.W.'.CHARLES HARRISON PUGH, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina
- M.'.W.'.HENRY FITZHUGH COLLINS, Past Grand Master of Masons in South Carolina, Grand Secretary of the Grand Lodge of A.F.M. of South Carolina
- W.'.CHARLES TRENHOLM MCCLENAGHAN, Past Master, William G. Hill Lodge No. 218, A.F. & A.M., North Carolina

1958

- *M.'.W.'.JOHN CATLETT VANCE, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina

* Deceased

÷ Nonaffiliated

*III. FRANK S. LAND, Founder and Secretary-General of the Order of DeMolay

*W. LEON GODOWN, Past Master of Stokes Lodge No. 32, A. F. & A.M., and Editor of *The Orphans' Friend and Masonic Journal*, North Carolina

1959

M. W. JOHN IRVING SMITH, Past Grand Master of Masons in South Carolina

W. ADAM ANDREW HUSMAN, Past Master of Hiram Lodge No. 40, A.F. & A.M., North Carolina

1960

M. W. LUTHER A. SMITH, Past Grand Master of Masons in Mississippi

M. W. JAMES GUY JOHNSTON, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina

W. NORWOOD PRICE PARKER, Past Master, Hiram Lodge No. 98, A.F. & A.M., North Carolina

1961

*W. PERCY CLIFTON STOTT, Past Master, Wendell Lodge No. 565, A.F. & A.M., North Carolina

W. HAYWOOD SHERRILL KING, SR., Past Master, Wilmington Lodge No. 319, A.F. & A.M., North Carolina

W. BERL MAURICE KAHN, Past Master, Wayne Lodge No. 112, A.F. & A.M., North Carolina

W. THOMAS MILTON FUNK, Past Master, Mooresville Lodge No. 496, A.F. & A.M., North Carolina

M. W. CHARLES ANDERSON HARRIS, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina and Grand Secretary of the Grand Lodge A. F. & A.M. of North Carolina

1962

M. W. HARVEY WARD SMITH, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina

BROTHER TROY GARREN ROBBINS, Superintendent of the Masonic and Eastern Star Home of N. C., Inc.

M. W. HARRY S. TRUMAN, Past Grand Master of Masons in Missouri

W. RICHARD HARVEY LUCAS, Past Master, Perseverance Lodge No. 59, A.F. & A.M., Plymouth, North Carolina

BROTHER JAMES JAY GILBERT, a member of Greenville Lodge No. 284, A.F. & A.M., Greenville, North Carolina

1963

M. W. THOMAS EARL DOSS, Past Grand Master of Masons in Tennessee and Grand Secretary in Tennessee

M. W. JAMES WOODROW BREWER, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina and Grand Treasurer of the Grand Lodge A. F. & A.M., North Carolina

W. HERBERT NOBLE, Past Master, John A. Nichols Lodge No. 650, A. F. & A.M., North Carolina

W. REUBEN BARNITZ, Past Master, Secretary of Mount Hermon Lodge No. 118, A.F. & A.M., North Carolina

W. LLOYD WOOLLEY, Past Master, Secretary of Southern Pines Lodge No. 484, A.F. & A.M., North Carolina

* Deceased

† Nonaffiliated

1964

- M.'W.'.CHARLES CARPENTER RICKER, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina
- M.'W.'.WILLIAM ELI HAND, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina
- M.'W.'.ANDREW J. WHITE, JR., Past Grand Master of Masons in Ohio and Grand Secretary in Ohio
- M.'W.'.SAMUEL W. MCINTOSH, Past Grand Master of Masons in the District of Columbia
- M.'W.'.MARTIN H. KINSINGER, Past Grand Master of Masons in Maryland

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- M.'W.'.WILLIAM EDWARD BURRIER, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina
- M.'W.'.RAYMOND M. RIDEOUT, Past Grand Master of Masons in Maine
- W.'MARION TILLIT ROSS, Past Master of St. John's Lodge No. 1, A. F. & A. M., North Carolina
- W.'HERBERT DELNO HOLLAND, Past Master of Asheboro Lodge No. 699, A. F. & A. M., North Carolina
- W.'JOHN D. CUNNINGHAM, former Executive Secretary of the Masonic Service Association

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- W.'LOUIS PHILIP GUIGOU, Past Master of Lovelady Lodge No. 670, A. F. & A. M., North Carolina
- W.'EARLEY WINFRED BRIDGES, Past Master of Greensboro Lodge No. 76, A. F. & A. M., North Carolina
- III.'HARRY MILLER BRYANT, SR., Past Potentate, Oasis Temple, A. A. O. N. M. S.
- R.'W.'.ROBERT NORMAN BASS, JR., Junior Grand Warden of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina
- M.'W.'.GEORGE DUDLEY HUMPHREY, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina

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- W.'JAMES PAUL KELLY, Past Master of Sparta Lodge No. 423, District Deputy Grand Master, 49th Masonic District, North Carolina
- W.'EDGAR FLOYD DUNN, Grand Lecturer of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina
- M.'W.'.SAMUEL ANDREW HENNIS, JR., Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina

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(60-Year Emblems and Service Certificates)

NAME	DATE	LODGE	DATE RAISED	LODGE IN WHICH RAISED
LeRoy F. Franks.....	1-29-1966	Glenville 551.....	1-20-1905	Blue Ridge 435
Joseph Holmes Davis, Sr.....	3- 3-1966	Orient 395.....	2-22-1906	Orient 395
Joseph Henry Mitchell.....	3- 8-1966	St. John's 1.....	9- 8-1905	St. John's 1
Charley Ross Wood.....	3-25-1966	Scotch-Ireland 154.....	3-10-1906	Scotch-Ireland 154
Zala Adams.....	6- 6-1966	Andrews 529.....	6-23-1905	Andrews 529
Rolin Drewry Lovingood.....	6- 6-1966	Cherokee 146.....	9- 9-1905	Marble Springs 439
(Presented at Masonic and Eastern Star Home by Rev. Troy G. Robbins, Superintendent)				
William Leonard Balthis.....	6-24-1966	Gastonia 369.....	6- 2-1906	South Fork 462
Patrick Leonard Stephens.....	7-12-1966	Perquimans 106.....	11-20-1905	Perquimans 106
James Webster Steelman.....	8-15-1966	Yadkin 162.....	7-14-1906	Lone Hickory 512
J. Claud Moore.....	9- 8-1966	Hibriten 262.....	9-18-1906	Hibriten 262
John Redmond Adams.....	9-13-1966	St. John's 1.....	4-25-1906	Pitt. 24, Chatham, Va.
Charles A. Gunn.....	10-18-1966	Jefferson Penn 384.....	6- 4-1904	W'worth 324, W'worth, N. C.
Ferdinand Badger Johnson.....	10-25-1966	Hiram 98.....	10- 2-1905	Hiram 98
Thomas Arrants Davis.....	10-25-1966	Hiram 98.....	9-28-1906	Manv'e 232, Manv'e, S. C.
Albert Gallatin Myers.....	10-28-1966	Gastonia 369.....	11-13-1906	Gastonia 369
Cleveland Wells Bradshaw.....	11-15-1966	Raleigh 500.....	5-19-1906	Blackwater 134, Zuni, Va.
William Martin Davis.....	11-15-1966	Raleigh 500.....	3-31-1905	Raleigh 500
Simon Rutenberg.....	12- 7-1966	Perquimans 106.....	11-27-1906	Perquimans 106

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NAME	DATE	LODGE	DATE RAISED	LODGE IN WHICH RAISED
Headley Morris Cox.....	1- 6-1966	Mount Olive 208.....	5- 8-1914	Mount Olive 208
Floyd Allmond Andrews.....	1- 6-1966	Mount Olive 208.....	6-24-1915	Doric 140, Ft. Lauded'e. Fla.
Frank Bowyer Cork.....	1-10-1966	Charles M. Setzer 693.....	3-11-1915	J. H. Gurley 337, Waco, Tex.
(Presented by Lake Wales Lodge No. 242, Lake Wales, Fla. as a courtesy)				
Thomas Anderson Saunders..	1-14-1966	Biscoe 437.....	5-21-1915	Star 437
S. G. Richardson.....	1-14-1966	Biscoe 437.....	8-18-1915	Mt. Olive 195, Brower's Mill N. C.
D. McCoy Estes.....	1-19-1966	Eno 210.....	1- 5-1915	Wake Forest 282
Phillip Arthur Myers.....	1-27-1966	Lexington 473.....	12-10-1915	Lexington 473
Henry Cleveland Myers.....	1-27-1966	Lexington 473.....	1-14-1916	Lexington 473
Thomas Shell Eanes.....	1-27-1966	Lexington 473.....	11-11-1915	Lexington 473
T. Norman Moore.....	1-29-1966	Glenville 551.....	3-18-1915	Glenville 551
James Thomas Collins.....	2-10-1966	John H. Mills 624.....	5- 1-1915	Sandy Creek 185
Wilbur Mark Suycott.....	2-10-1966	Phalanx 31.....	6- 3-1915	Pythagorean 21, Charleston, S. C.
(Presented by Pompano Lodge No. 263, Florida as a courtesy)				
Rufus Irby Sloan.....	2-11-1966	Snow Creek 571.....	11-11-1914	Randolph 309
James Samuel Dobson.....	2-11-1966	Snow Creek 571.....	1-29-1913	Snow Creek 571
J. Newman Dobson.....	2-11-1966	Snow Creek 571.....	2- 1-1913	Snow Creek 571
Carmer Floyd Barnes.....	2-11-1966	Carthage 181.....	9-29-1914	Carthage 181
Berry Columbus Moxley.....	2-11-1966	Sparta 423.....	1- 6-1909	Sparta 423
P. J. Lawrence.....	2-12-1966	Montgomery 426.....	6-12-1915	Montgomery 426
(Presented by Seminole Lodge No. 304, Fort Lauderdale, Fla. as a courtesy)				
Lee Marion Shields.....	2-12-1966	Montgomery 426.....	10-19-1912	Notla 312
Hugh Anthony Evans.....	2-14-1966	Home 613.....	.....1915	Black Creek 330
Edgar Lewis Ketchie.....	2-22-1966	Spencer 543.....	2-22-1916	Spencer 543
Royce Stanley McClelland....	3- 8-1966	St. John's 1.....	11-30-1915	St. John's 1
Aaron Goldberg.....	3- 8-1966	St. John's 1.....	11-30-1915	St. John's 1

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Louis Albert Webber.....	3-10-1966	Catawba Valley 217.....	4-13-1914	Catawba Valley 217
J. G. Wood.....	3-10-1966	Copeland 390.....	12-27-1915	Copeland 390
Gary Andrew Eichelberger....	3-11-1966	Excelsior 261.....	2-21-1916	Andrew Jackson 576
(Presented by DDGM 18th District, S. C.)				
Charlie H. Whitley.....	3-14-1966	Bailey 411.....	1- 4-1916	Rockville 411
Lester Harry Conley.....	3-16-1966	Cherokee 146.....	12-30-1913	Cherokee 146
Bert Albert Tolson.....	3-19-1966	Seaside 429.....	2-26-1916	Seaside 429
Samuel D. Porter.....	3-22-1966	Sanford 151.....	4-25-1916	Sanford 469
James Edward Parks.....	3-22-1966	Sanford 151.....	2-25-1916	Friends'p 417, Detroit, Mich.
B. J. Howard.....	3-22-1966	Sanford 151.....	6- 5-1915	McCormick 228
R. P. Coble.....	3-22-1966	Sanford 151.....	7-30-1915	Sanford 469
Forrest Ives Barber, Sr.....	3-22-1966	Forest City 381.....	3-16-1916	Forest City 381
Victor Hugo Idol.....	3-24-1966	Dan River 129.....	12-29-1915	Dan River 129
Junius Calvin Brown.....	3-24-1966	Dan River 129.....	12- 6-1915	Dan River 129
John Oswin Sutton.....	3-25-1966	Lillington 302.....	3-13-1916	Lillington 302
Fletcher L. Teague.....	3-31-1966	Siler City 403.....	5- 9-1913	Revolution 552
Frank Mathias Rinehardt....	4- 4-1966	Yadkin Falls 637.....	1-14-1916	Stanly 348
David J. Whichard, Jr.,.....	4- 4-1966	Greenville 284.....	3-27-1916	Sharon 78, G'ville, N. C.
Samuel Fred Davidson.....	4- 7-1966	Swannanoa 561.....	9-15-1915	Swannanoa 561
Benjamin Hughes Durham....	4-11-1966	Gaston 263.....	4-10-1916	Gaston 263
George Richard Bennette....	4-28-1966	Greensboro 76.....	4-10-1916	Enfield 447
Ralph Norwood Gupton.....	5- 1-1966	Louisburg 413.....	4- 4-1914	Sandy Cr. 185, Sandy Cr.
Jackson Uriah Teague.....	5- 3-1966	Henderson 229.....	9-15-1914	Wake Forest 282
Claude C. Tunstall.....	5- 3-1966	Henderson 229.....	3-21-1916	Henderson 229
Pelege Henry Barnett.....	5- 6-1966	Mount Vernon 359.....	10-23-1914	Mount Vernon 359
John Luther Dixon.....	5- 6-1966	Mount Vernon 359.....	7-11-1904	Mount Vernon 359
Will W. Dick.....	5-12-1966	Greensboro 76.....	3-25-1915	Greensboro 76

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John Anderson Fowler.....	5-12-1966	Greensboro 76.....	11-11-1915	Greensboro 76
William Alfred Broadway....	5-16-1966	Cleveland 202.....	4-10-1915	Moorestboro 388
Dennis Whitney Kellogg.....	5-16-1966	Mount Lebanon 117.....	12- 9-1915	Widow's Son 519
Carlos Uriah Lowrance.....	5-23-1966	Riverside 606.....	5-18-1916	Riverside 606
Ezra Edward Herman.....	5-23-1966	Riverside 606.....	12- 4-1915	Riverside 606
Will E. Matthews.....	5-23-1966	Pilot 493.....	10- 2-1915	Pilot 493
Jarvis K. Smith.....	5-23-1966	Pilot 493.....	8- 3-1914	Pilot 493
John Christopher Phillips, Sr..	6- 3-1966	Jopa 530.....	4-17-1916	Excelsior 261
Romulus S. Spencer.....	6- 5-1966	Mattamusket 328.....	8-15-1914	Mattamusket 328
Frank W. Swan.....	6- 6-1966	Andrews 529.....	2-14-1914	Andrews 529
George C. Daniels.....	6-23-1966	Manteo 521.....	6-15-1916	Wanchese 521
Isaac Purley Edge.....	6-24-1966	Doric 568.....	4-14-1916	Doric 568
Herman E. Stewart.....	6-24-1966	Doric 568.....	3-13-1916	Atkinson 612
Thomas Schofield Trott.....	6-24-1966	Gastonia 369.....	5- 5-1916	Gastonia 369
T. N. Harrison, Jr.....	7-25-1966	Royal Hart 497.....	11-21-1910	Royal Hart 497
Andrew J. May.....	7-25-1966	Royal Hart 497.....	7-31-1916	Royal Hart 497
Eli Durand Byrd.....	7-27-1966	Liberty 45.....	8-17-1915	Ronda 566
Isador Charles Cohn.....	7-29-1966	Oxford 122.....	7- 8-1912	Oxford 396
Benjamin K. Lassiter.....	7-29-1966	Oxford 122.....	9- 8-1913	University 408
John Spencer Chapman.....	8- 3-1966	Grifton 243.....	7-21-1916	Grifton 452, N. C.
Lemuel Washington Askew....	8- 4-1966	Potecasi 418.....	7-22-1916	Potecasi 418
Reuben Buck Robertson, Sr....	8-11-1966	Pigeon River 386.....	10-20-1916	Avon 542, Cincinnati, Ohio
Thomas J. Thomasson.....	8-12-1966	Marble Springs 439.....	12- 1-1900	Marble Springs 439
Julian Austin Glazener.....	8-25-1966	Dunn's Rock 267.....	7-14-1916	Dunn's Rock 267
Shuford Gray Adams.....	9- 5-1966	Waccamaw 596.....	9- 5-1916	Waccamaw 596
(Presented by Robert G. Planck, DDGM-9, New Jersey, as a courtesy)				
Charles Albert Cannon.....	9- 5-1966	Stokes 32.....	2-15-1915	Stokes 32

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David Malthaner Bower, Sr.	9- 8-1966	Hibriten 262	2-17-1916	Hibriten 262
William Calloway Broyhill	9- 8-1966	Hibriten 262	6-23-1916	Lee 253
James H. Taylor	9- 9-1966	Ashler 373	1-19-1912	Ashler 451
Marvin Jason Cowell	9-13-1966	St. John's 1	11-30-1915	St. John's 1
S. Waite Bagley	9-27-1966	Corinthian 542	10-31-1916	Corinthian 542
John A. Kellenberger	9-27-1966	Corinthian 542	5-22-1916	Corinthian 542
Thomas John Love	9-27-1966	Corinthian 542	1-18-1916	Portage 675, S. Bend, Ind.
Daniel Redford Fish	9-30-1966	Angier 686	7-31-1914	William T. Bain 231
Amos Walter Gresham	10-11-1966	Beulaville 658	10- 5-1916	Richlands 564
Raymond M. Brown	10-21-1966	St. John's 4	5-19-1910	St. John's 4
John E. Williams	10-21-1966	St. John's 4	6- 9-1906	St. John's 4
W. F. Wooten	10-21-1966	St. John's 4	8-17-1914	St. John's 4
R. H. Hubbard	10-25-1966	Hiram 98	3- 2-1916	Hiram 98
Gladstone Sutton	10-25-1966	Hiram 98	10-27-1914	Belm't 108, Duplin Co., N. C.
Alvis Wesley Craver	10-29-1966	Guilford 656	3-21-1916	Boonv'e 421, Boonv'e, N. C.
Claude C. Bradley	11- 1-1966	Junaluskee 145	12-18-1916	James 47, Baton Rouge, La.
William McIlwain Baker	11- 4-1966	Bingham 272	8- 6-1910	Heal'g Spgs 467, Crumpler
Charles Hugh Smith	11- 4-1966	Bingham 272	4-29-1916	Bingham 272
William S. Dean	11- 9-1966	Widow's Son 519	2-29-1916	Oxford 396
Edward W. Liles	11- 9-1966	Widow's Son 519	9- 4-1916	Widow's Son 519
Ashby Lewis Clore	11-14-1966	Winston 167	12- 1-1916	Winston 167
Edwin Morgan	11-15-1966	Laurinburg 305	6- 4-1915	Laurinburg 305
Robert Eugene Yongue, Jr.	11-15-1966	Laurinburg 305	6-19-1916	Walden 274, Greenv'e, S. C.
Alwyn Chisley Johnston, Jr.	11-17-1966	Davie 39	2-18-1916	Roanoke 203
Robert L. Brinkley	11-21-1966	Mount Lebanon 117	9-11-1916	Mount Lebanon 117
James Thomas Allen	11-29-1966	Wendell 565	6- 6-1916	Wendell 565

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Frank A. Roth.....	11-30-1966	Louisburg 413.....	7- 5-1916	Louisburg 413
(Presented by Hibiscus Lodge No. 275, Florida as a courtesy)				
James Reckard Reardin.....	12- 1-1966	Mount Hermon 118.....	3- 3-1916	Fellowship 345, Joplin, Mo.
E. Wallace Smith.....	12- 1-1966	Mount Hermon 118.....	4-20-1916	Bath 263, Bath, S. C.
James Frank Bristol.....	12- 3-1966	Clay 301.....	10- 4-1915	Andrews 529
Frank Herbert.....	12- 3-1966	Clay 301.....	5-16-1916	Clay 301
Joseph Palmer.....	12- 5-1966	Greenville 284.....	1-30-1909	Kerns 143, Crystal Hill, Va.
James Donald Cochran, Jr.....	12- 6-1966	Statesville 27.....	11-17-1916	Fairfield 749, Fairfield, Ala.
Carl E. Weinbrunn.....	12- 8-1966	Andrew Jackson 576.....	6- 1-1916	Andrew Jackson 576
Claude M. Whitehead.....	12-18-1966	Royal Hart 497.....	11-27-1916	Royal Hart 497
Dwight Samuel Avery.....	12-15-1966	Hiram 40.....	9-20-1916	Anchor 234, Auburn, N. C.
Frank P. Biggs.....	12-15-1966	Hiram 40.....	9-18-1916	Bruns 118, Blenheim, S. C.
W. R. Trull.....	12-15-1966	Hiram 40.....	3-20-1916	Hiram 40
Russell Oran Heater.....	12-19-1966	Cary 198.....	12- 4-1916	Cary 198
William Hilton Graham.....	12-26-1966	William G. Hill 218.....	10-12-1914	William G. Hill 218
Edgar Byron Nichols.....	12-26-1966	William G. Hill 218.....	4-24-1916	William G. Hill 218
Rubee Jeffrey Pearse.....	12-26-1966	William G. Hill 218.....	5- 8-1911	Kedron 241, Geneva, Iowa
Henry Chandler Roberts.....	12-26-1966	William G. Hill 218.....	9-11-1916	William G. Hill 218
Bonnie David Bunn.....	12-30-1966	Oxford 122.....	9-13-1913	Central Cross 187

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*PERCY CLIFTON STOTT.....	22	JAMES GUY JOHNSTON.....	17
NEILL WILLIS FREEMAN.....	21	JOHN LUTHER POWELL.....	17
WILLIAM HOWARD HARDY.....	21	KENNETH LESTER BARKLEY.....	16
FRED CLINTON KINZIE.....	21	JAMES CASTLE BROWN, JR.....	16
CORNELIUS LEACH.....	21	CLOUDE BURGESS.....	16
JOSEPH GRACEY MILLER.....	21	CLIFTON GORDON GRANT.....	16
NORWOOD PRICE PARKER.....	21	WALTER HERMAN HARDEE.....	16
RAY ELBERT PHILLIPS.....	21	EARL McINTOSH NOE.....	16
*JAMES THOMAS CARR WRIGHT.....	21	CLARENCE LEE RHINEHART.....	16
JONATHAN HARVEY CARPENTER.....	20	FRANKLIN WILLIAM ROYAL.....	16
RICHARD HARVEY LUCAS.....	20	EDWARD GEORGE UPDEGROVE.....	16
SAMUEL LEWIS POWERS.....	20	ROYAL PRESTON WOOTEN.....	16
WILLIAM ALBERT.....		ARTHUR APPLE.....	15
STEPHENSON AMAN.....	19	ELMO ELSWORTH BATTLE.....	15
CHARLES DURWOOD GRAHAM.....	19	ROBERT MacBETH BIRD.....	15
ROBERT BREATHARD JONES.....	19	GORDON LEE BUTLER.....	15
WILLIAM ROBERT OWENS.....	19	FRANK GUDGER CABE.....	15
WILLIAM CLIFFORD GREER.....	18	HENRY BENAGA CARAWAN.....	15
WILLIAM RILEY HADLEY.....	18	GRADY ISAIAH CARRIKER.....	15
BRITTON HARRELL.....	18	WILLIAM LLEWELLYN LANCASTER.....	15
NED ARMFIELD HAWKS.....	18	HARVEY LEE MULKEY.....	15
GEORGE DUDLEY HUMPHREY.....	18	*WILLIE FRANKLIN OWENS.....	15
HAYWOOD SHERRILL KING.....	18	ROBIE DANIEL PORTER.....	15
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*ELDON SKOCKLEY ADAMS.....	15	GRAHAM PINKNEY KERR.....	15
HENRY CLAY BAUCOM.....	15	ANDREW FRANKLYN McLAMB.....	15
JOEL JACKSON FAULK.....	15	MARSHALL GLENN McRAE.....	15
WILLIAM BRADSHER HICKS.....	15	FRANK NEELY OWENS.....	15
KEITH GRIMES HODGIN.....	15	EDWIN THOMAS PARHAM.....	15
GEORGE CHRESTON HOLOMAN.....	15	ALVA ELBERT PENNEY.....	15
JOHN ALBERT HORNADAY.....	15	CHARLES ALBERT RAMSEY.....	15
RALPH HILLYER JACKSON, SR.....	15	RAYMOND EARL RHYNE.....	15
JAMES BENJAMIN JOHNSON.....	15	JOHN ALEXANDER SIMPSON.....	15
*WILLIAM LEE JOHNSON.....	15		

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RAYMOND HASKELL GARRISON.....	15	DAVID JAMES PADRICK, JR.....	15
HUBERT LAWRENCE GIBBS.....	15	SAMUEL THOMAS PEERY.....	15
WILLIE PARKER GOODWIN.....	15	CHARLES LEE POLK.....	15
GEORGE ANDERSON GREEN.....	15	WILLIAM KNOX PRICE, SR.....	15
ANDERSON BAILEY GREENE.....	15	JERRY JULIAN QUINN.....	15
WILLIAM JAMES HALL.....	15	GEORGE RHODES.....	15
WILLIAM ARTHUR HOOKS.....	15	BONNER LEE STRAWN.....	15
ALVIS REX HARDY.....	15	RUFUS ELLIOTT TAYLOR.....	15
JAMES KELLY HOOPER.....	15	JAMES OLIVER THORNTON.....	15
HOMER EUGENE KAYLOR.....	15	CLARENCE RUFUS WELCH.....	15
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REVIEWS

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CHARLES H. PUGH, P.G.M.

**CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEE ON
FRATERNAL CORRESPONDENCE**

PROCEEDINGS OF THE FOREWORD

To The Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

We herewith submit our sixth annual report of the Committee on Fraternal Correspondence and Reviews of the several Grand Jurisdictions whose Proceedings have come to our desk.

We want to thank M. W. Bro. Koonce, Grand Master of Masons of North Carolina for permitting us to have the privilege of looking through the Proceedings of the various Grand Jurisdictions that it has been our pleasure to receive. One of the best methods of becoming informed and of educating yourself in Masonry is to peruse the Proceedings of the various Grand Jurisdictions of Masonic Bodies.

A compiler of noteworthy quotations credits us with saying: "Intelligence is to see things as they are, uncolored by any likes or dislikes, advantage or disadvantage, hope or fear; therefore intelligence alone leads to wisdom." In that spirit I have tried to select material to be incorporated in these Fraternal Reviews. That has not always been an easy task because of definite likes and dislikes on my part regarding various programs formulated by the Craft in other Grand Jurisdictions and in an ever present temptation to report those things with which I am in an agreement and gaining an advantage over those of the contrary mind.

Most of the Fraternal Reviewers are Past Grand Masters of their respective Jurisdictions, who have been through the mill themselves, perhaps several years ago, and as elder statesmen inclined to be more conservative than are the younger men who are present day officers and willing to venture in the new projects and advocate changes to meet present day conditions.

It has been said by some of the Reviewers that you should make no reference to your own Proceedings, but we think sometimes that certain special items should be mentioned. In our own Proceedings it will be observed that our very efficient Grand Secretary encloses in parentheses the result of a recommendation or a motion that in most Proceedings it will be necessary to search through the Proceedings of following sessions if you want to obtain information in regard to the dispensation of such a recommendation or motion.

Masonry is not a three ring circus, nor a spectacular, competing for an increase in interested membership on the basis of the entertainment provided. A certain amount of clean entertainment while at the festive board often provides the welcome and delightful diversion, but it should never hold the predominant place in nor be substituted for the real work of the Lodge.

In our enthusiasm to maintain a constantly excellerating growth in membership some Jurisdictions have resorted to much "ballyhoo" and tried to make of Masonry something that it was never intended to be, or ever will be, and in the process have taken from it its appeal to the highest and finest admiration of thinking men in their quest for Light.

The thinking candidate as well as the thinking member who sought Masonry because of a sincere desire to be of service to his fellow man, and from a favorable opinion conceived of the Fraternity,

can only feel frustration and disappointment when he sits through meeting after meeting and hears nothing more enlightening than a discussion or a RECITAL of the plans for the entertainment at the next meeting. If Masonry has nothing more than this to offer such men they stay away.

There are some that say that Masonry should not hide its Light. That it should inform the public as to its principles and philosophies, that the world at large may know of the goodness of its philanthropies and the world at large may know of the goodness of the Order and thus by well publicized recital of its good deeds attract desirable men to seek membership by a favorable opinion thus conceived of the fraternity.

These sentiments have been expressed in a Foreword preceding this in other Reviews.

An Order world-wide in its scope with more than four million members in the U.S. alone, numbering among its membership some of the finest men and greatest minds of the day, steadily and surely growing for 250 years can hardly be called a dying order.

In concluding this FOREWORD we will quote a few paragraphs by Dwight L. Smith, Reviewer of Indiana:

"In reading annually the Proceedings of between 65 and 75 English-speaking Jurisdictions I see countless pages of statistical tables, wearisome recitals of receptions attended, halls dedicated, permissions granted, bright ideas described. Committees discuss per capita tax, contributions, endowments, building restrictions, insurance, fees, annual dues, inflation."

"But now and then, like a spring of sparkling cool water in a desert, there appears a challenging and stimulating address — something which lifts the Brethren out of the market place and leads them to the mountaintop. The Grand Lodge of Alberta heard just such a classic from the lips of a distinguished Grand Master, the Rev. Dr. William J. Collett. Nothing in my reading during the year surpasses it. With a sample of his clear thinking and his inspiring rhetoric, I close my report:

"The confusion in the Temple and concerning the definition of such words as *square* has arisen because Masons have lost sight of the true definition of Freemasonry and have, consequently, neglected their great mission of making an impact on society by putting to practical use the philosophies which they are supposed to learn in their Lodge. Indeed we all realize that the Masonic Order is in a state of crisis as evidenced by a falling off of interest, lagging attendance and increasing suspensions. We have made the inexcusable error of trying to correct these ills by a number of surface activities and have failed to make a serious and searching diagnosis of our sickness.

"This is what I mean. The master of a Lodge looks at poor attendance and lagging interest and decides that he must do something about it in his year of office. So he proceeds to put a lot of energy into pepping up the Lodge. He places his emphasis on the period of refreshment and brings in speakers who address the Brethren on anything from *A trip around the world* (of course illustrated by colored slides) to *How to grow mushrooms in the winter*. He may in

addition proliferate *Ladies Nights* on which the funds of the Lodge are spent with abandon. At times he may have special nights in the degree work of the Lodge where he invites in many specialized groups to perform the ritualistic work.

"These are merely surface remedies and do not get to the heart of the matter. Very rarely do you find a Master who calls his officers and some young Masons together to analyze the ills and to plan a creative type of remedy. Yet the need is obvious. It is that we must find out the true meaning of Freemasonry and then do the serious and difficult job of helping the entire lodge rediscover what the Masonic Order is all about. In other words, we have to look at the original meaning of the word *Square* and find our ways and means of restoring this word to an honored and enviable position in our vocabulary. This cannot be done by thinking up new schemes to entertain the Brethren; it can only be done by searching our soul and by hard and consecrated work'."

Respectfully submitted,
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*Fraternal Correspondent and
Grand Reviewer.*

ARIZONA

84th Annual Communication, Tombstone, Arizona, April 25, 26, 1966.
M. W. Brother J. Lopshire Benson, Grand Master. Four special Communications were held during the year.

Recommended Grand Lodge of the Netherlands be recognized by the Grand Lodge of Arizona. Only three Grand Lodges of the U. S. do not recognize the Grand Lodge of the Netherlands. This leaves only two.

The report of the Grand Secretary shows that they had 61 chartered Lodges. They also had a membership of 13,596.

This gives them a net gain of 218. This is an excellent report. The address of the Grand Orator is one worthy of consideration by all who have the opportunity to read it. We will quote a few paragraphs from it.

"In early Masonry our creed was very small indeed, yet even then it served our need. And the path grew plainer, our faith grew stronger as we practiced the profound truths embodied in the lessons of Masonry—truths which we all believe.

"If then our lives should be victorious—of benefit to others; if before Time runs out distinction we achieve through service to our Nation—should I be asked, Had we no doubts, what were the great convictions we believed? I'd think like a Mason, and would answer—Long ago we found the world had no interest in the doubts we offered to propound—but met us with the challenge—Tell us what you BELIEVE.

"Without hesitation my reply would be that I—like many others—recognized the benefits and privileges of Masonry as an obligation, a sacred trust of burden and responsibility, founded upon a tradition

of integrity and unity, based upon a deep and abiding sense of moral values, intended to be combined and exercised in unison with an honest day's duty to God, our country, and our fellowman.

"King David and King Solomon led merry, merry lives, with many, many lady friends and many, many wives. But when old age crept over them—with many, many qualms—King Solomon wrote the Proverbs and King David wrote the Psalms! Both are great scriptures of considerable merit, but we are not all potential writers, so we should LIVE our Masonry.

"None are so old as those who have outlived enthusiasm. With that in mind I am speaking to the young at heart regardless of the number of birthdays you may or may not have celebrated. Masonry today takes a 'heap of living,' especially if we are to maintain our principles, exercise our privileges and our responsibility by heritage—as guardians of basic American liberties."

We are also quoting three paragraphs from the latter part of this Oration.

"FROM EACH ACCORDING TO HIS ABILITY—TO EACH ACCORDING TO HIS NEEDS! To the undiscerning daydreamer this means he will only have to do that which he is able to do, but will receive all his needs. History records that a person offered what he needs and required to give only what he is able soon finds he has many needs—**BUT LITTLE ABILITY!**

"The discerning man seeks the key to the open door of opportunity. He asks nothing for self alone, but finds true satisfaction in that which he may succeed in doing for the betterment of his loved ones, his community, and ultimately his Nation and future generations. These are the distinguishing characteristics of a mature, devoted, and dedicated American. These characteristics in times past—**AND TODAY—**distinguish those men who are truly Masons.

"I take the privilege of quoting from the oration delivered at the 47th Communication of this Grand Lodge by then Grand Orator, now M.W.P.G.M. Louis A. Myers: 'As a fraternity we must let the Nation hear our voices upon every measure that might tend to build up, or tear down, those American Institutions and Ideals of Government for which Masonic brethren in the past have sacrificed their very lives. Unless we assume those responsibilities to our God, our Country, our neighbors and ourselves, Masonry cannot minister to the needs of our day, but will become a code of beautiful platitudes without meaning and without life.'"

This was an excellent Proceeding to Review and much information can be obtained in looking through its pages.

We have much hope for the future success for the Grand Lodge of Arizona.

CALIFORNIA

117th Annual Communication, San Francisco, California, Oct. 10, 1966.
M.W. Myron E. Smith, Grand Master. No. Lodges (Excluding Research) 711; Membership, 243,572; Net loss, 104; Research Membership, 355.

It is unusual to observe that this was the first year they had shown a loss in several years. The statistics show that in 1962, they gained 896; 1963 gained 252; 1964 gained 5; 1965 gained 87; and in 1966 the loss was 104.

In the five year period the number of Lodges increased. In 1961, 700 Lodges; 1966, 721 Lodges. The fees from degrees ranged from \$50.00 to \$215.00 and the dues from \$12.00 to \$50.00.

From September 1, 1965 to Sept. 1, 1966 the Grand Lodge issued 661 FIFTY YEAR BUTTONS.

California has done an increased amount of work supporting "Research Lodges." In the report of the Special Committee on Masonic Education we find the following:

"The first step toward meeting this new responsibility was a planning session at which the principal officers of the Research Lodges, with members of this Committee, set up a schedule of guide lines. The steps agreed upon were recorded as the procedures to be followed. A copy of these 'Procedures' is attached to this report as a matter of record.

"The objective of the Committee during the past year, in furthering of general educational activity, has been to emphasize the value of greater knowledge of the fraternity to our newer members. At the same time, older members have always been welcome to participate. We feel that the holding of a number of group meetings and the formation and encouragement of study groups under the leadership of Lodge chairmen has measured gratifying progress in this field. Material for the use of Study Groups has been forwarded to Group Chairmen with a letter encouraging them to seek further assistance from this Committee. We are highly appreciative of the co-operation given us in promoting this part of our activity.

"The officers of the Research Lodges have been very helpful in forwarding material which they contemplated publishing in accordance with the established time schedule and in accepting the decisions of the Committee where alteration or rejection of submitted material was necessary.

"The reviewing of material submitted has involved a large volume of correspondence. The help given the Committee by the Grand Lodge office in meeting this situation is sincerely appreciated. Our thanks go to the Grand Secretary, the Assistant Grand Secretary and the courteous and competent members of their staff.

"We suggest that consideration be given to appropriating, for the work of the Committee during the coming year, the sum of \$2,000.00 plus such additional amount as will be required to cover enlarged activities which may be assigned to them."

The Grand Orator delivered a masterpiece under the title "There is no rest for the Messenger until the Message is Delivered."

We are quoting a few excerpts from this address:

"In accepting this office twelve months ago, I would confess that my personal thoughts were poignantly expressed in that well known phrase . . . 'Fools rush in where wise men fear to tread.'

"But, then, there can be no new experience without a certain amount of risk, and if you please, a certain willingness to fail. For generally in a new venture one finds little encouragement in unsupported and untried confidence.

"But, as a magnificent contrast, in the work of Masonry we find abundant support and reinforcement. We discover anew that our faith is founded upon an unwavering trust and confidence in the guiding force of the universe, the Great Creator, who spake us into being. We learn anew that the Supreme Architect extends his beneficent grace to compensate weakness and to give strength and to spare when we are employed in useful and productive labor.

"FOR SUCH A TIME AS THIS, I was more than willing to accept the challenge and unequalled opportunity to serve in one of the most rewarding assignments in all of Masonry. In addition, and as unearned bonus, I was well aware that acceptance of this office would assure the continuance of a close association with our Grand Master. An association which has included many miles of travel, many hours of conversation and of breaking bread, and of observing him at labor in the vineyards of Masonry. And the travel, the conversation and observation have left an indelible mark of pure inspiration. And who among us has not, in like manner, been inspired by our Most Worshipful?

"Let us figuratively pick up the compass that we might trace a few lines upon the trestleboard of our understanding, to inscribe the four cardinal points and a like number of messages. What shall constitute today's messages? What are the messages that would be carried, without rest, to the point of delivery on this occasion?"

"One of the major problems of our fraternity since its inception has been how best to erase from the mind of the general public the idea that Freemasonry is a secret society. Our great and beloved fraternity was never designed to be in any sense a secret organization. Taken to the extreme, to emphasize this very point, an American Patriot, Writer, Diplomat, signer of the Declaration of Independence, and a Past Grand Master of Pennsylvania, Worshipful Brother Benjamin Franklin, stated in one of his publications (just prior to his acceptance into the Craft) that Masonry's, 'Grand Secret is that they have no secret at all.' Certainly if this statement were true for the profane in Franklin's day, 225 years ago, there is even less about the Masonic fraternity today that is 'secret.'

"Witness our well marked halls and temples (this debt-free California Masonic Memorial Temple, in particular); our lapel pins; our rings; our announcements in the press; our numerous public ceremonies; our magnificent homes at Union City and Covina (which inform the world that the fraternity is ever mindful of the needs of those less fortunate); and finally, the thousands-upon-thousands of volumes of books, stories, and articles (favorable and unfavorable) written upon every aspect of Freemasonry and which can be found in every book store and library in the free world.

"Obviously, what our good Brother Ben Franklin had in mind, and rightly so, was to confirm that Masonry's membership, time and place of meeting, activities, purpose and principles are well publicized and can surely be well known to anyone having the slightest interest.

"We were conceived, and remain to this day, an institution laboring among men for the moral and social advancement of the whole human family. If this be our purpose, and it is, then, how essential it is that we carry the message to the profane, to the uninitiated, and to the entire world that Freemasonry is not a secret society.

"This current Masonic year our Grand Master has on several occasions reminded us of the significant fact that as a Grand Lodge and through our constituent lodges we move into the public square and ask for support with regard to two and only two Masonic programs: Public Schools Week and Constitution Observance. What is the message here that we would convey and why does it concern Masonry?

"There is neither time nor opportunity this afternoon to trace the birth and development of Freemasonry. But let us pause and note the unquestionable fact that the process of evolution from Operative to Speculative Masonry could only come from and with the great surge of national endeavor which brought liberty to mankind at the end of the Dark Ages. As our very name suggests, Freemasonry, in itself, embraces a desire to be and to remain free.

"As we study the history of our fraternity, we are impressed time and again with the prerequisite of liberty. And when we have thoroughly learned this lesson, we will come to understand much, if not most of the meaning of the Free in Freemasonry. Hence, the undeniable importance of both our Constitution Observance and Public Schools Week Programs.

"Do not pray for easy lives,

"Pray to be stronger men.

"Do not pray for tasks equal to your powers,

"Pray for power equal to your tasks.

"Duty and responsibility must be constantly exercised by each and every citizen or apathy will abruptly separate us from our precious freedom. Have we really delivered this message throughout our jurisdiction? Can we rest till we have done so?

"It has been said that 'A man's ideal like his horizon, is constantly receding from him as he advances toward it.' So it is for every Master Mason, so it is for Masonry, and for all mankind. But, here again, Freemasonry possesses a most significant message, one which tends to elude each of us as we translate our Masonic teachings into our daily lives. It is the message of individual craftsmen.

"The entire philosophy of Freemasonry is built around the individual—the erection of a moral edifice within the heart of a single man. All our symbolism is pointed to the individual, all our traditions and practices are aimed solely at making individuals wiser, better and thus happier.

"What is Freemasonry? As a reply, or if you will, as a personal message we might answer that burning question as follows:

"I belong to the fraternity of Free and Accepted Masons, which encompass the world within its walls; that can and does claim the great and good men of every level of society; that discovers with joy the gold in every creed; and floods with light and love the goodness within every man.

"Is it possible to mold and chisel and complete a character without concomitantly delivering a like message? Can there be any rest

for a Masonic messenger till he has first formulated and then delivered his personal message?

"No man, of woman born, coward or brave, can shun his destiny." So spoke Homer in the 10th century B. C. What of Masonry's destiny? What does the future hold for the true and trusty craftsman? Would that one among us could respond for all. But any meaningful and lasting answer must come from the aggregate response of every Master Mason.

"How might we best respond? Let us begin with a single word to guide our future acts as members of this great fraternity, and let that one word be enthusiasm. Emerson set forth its value as, 'Every great and commanding movement in the annals of the world is the triumph of enthusiasm—Nothing great was ever achieved without it.' Seeley put it another way: 'No virtue is safe that is not enthusiastic.'

"Earlier we figuratively picked up the compass that we might trace a few lines upon the trestleboard to encompass, delineate and mark four messages;

The Cardinal Point East—

A fraternity possessing certain secrets—not a secret society;

The Cardinal Point West—

A fraternity exercising duty and responsibility in order to be and to remain free;

The Cardinal Point South—

A fraternity of individual craftsmen;

The Cardinal Point North—

A fraternity employing dedicated and enthusiastic labor to insure that its present and future attainments will ever reflect its glorious past.

"It is now time to close the compass, that implement most symbolic of virtue, the true and only measure of a Mason's life and conduct and to return it to its proper place.

"May we do so with this observation: 'There are two ways of spreading light—to be the candle or the mirror that reflects it'".

MONTANA

100th Centennial Communication, Helena, Montana, June 26-29, 1966.

M. W. Ernest A. Neath, Grand Master. Membership Dec. 31, 1965, 24,624 and showed a net loss of 400.

There are some very interesting statistics when we observe the entire report of the Grand Secretary. He shows that they had a loss of 588 on account of death. 150 demits to join other Lodges. 41 demits to non-affiliates and 7 suspended under Section 171 and suspended for non-payment of dues 281.

In analyzing these statistics you will observe that this was one instance where they showed a net loss in which death did play the large part because there were more deaths than net losses. It showed a net loss of 400 while the total number of deaths was 588. It adds up to the fact that they would have shown a net gain if their number of deaths had not been as large as it was. They had only 281 suspended for non-payment of dues.

According to this I do not think that 400 shows a true census of the loss of this Grand Lodge, because it was too active during the year and presented too fine a report to have much charged against it for losses.

It was a happy privilege of Grand Secretary Chas. A. Harris, his wife, together with this Scribe and his wife to visit Montana on the occasion of their 100th Anniversary. We had one of the most enjoyable times that has ever been my experience to enjoy.

We left from two points in North Carolina and joined in Chicago, were on the plane from Chicago to Minnesota together and from Minnesota to Helena, Montana. We arrived there on Saturday afternoon, had a personal host and hostess appointed to us who immediately took charge of us, took us to our hotel where they had prepared refreshments and some eats for the group that was on the plane. Practically every person who got off the plane in Helena was a delegate to this convention.

This Centennial had been several years in its planning, and certainly showed that it had been carried out to the finest detail.

One occasion that marred the happiness of all present was the untimely death of their Deputy Grand Master R. W. Stephen A. Holt Jr., but the committee went about their work with determination to accomplish that which their late Brother would have desired, that is to have an observance which would long be remembered by those in attendance.

The Grand Lodge building was the height of their activity with everything going smoothly. This was due largely to the planning of the Grand Secretary whose calmness and efficiency provided a world of strength for the Grand Master and the Chairman of the Centennial Committee.

A new feature for the Centennial was being installed, an exhibit of the Works of Art by two brothers who were famous in Montana for their paintings for the new Hockaday an Ervin "Shorty Shope." Throughout the day plans were executed, last minute tasks assigned, and details completed preparatory for the coming event for the four day celebration.

Due to the early arrival of many of the distinguished guests from other Grand Jurisdictions, and we were told that practically every Jurisdiction except 19 in the U.S. was present, the Grand Lodge Officers agreed that all should meet and break bread together Saturday evening at the Hotel. This would afford opportunity to make the visitors welcome and extend a traditional hand of Montana Fellowship.

It was planned that about 70 would attend but before the evening was over 118 were served. It was done beautifully, however, and a spirit of congeniality prevailed and many old friendships were renewed, and new ones cultivated.

We planned to go to church on Sunday morning, but not thinking of the difference of three hours in the time, we were slightly late, and we found that church had adjourned before we started.

At one o'clock on Sunday the distinguished out-of-state visitors were hosted by the Grand Lodge Officers and Past Grand Masters to a Knighting which further strengthened the ties of friendship between Montana Grand Lodge and sister Jurisdictions.

Three bus loads and numerous cars of Masons and their wives journeyed to the "Gates of the Mountains" for a boat trip through the historic waterway once traveled by Lewis and Clark. All enjoyed a picnic lunch at Merryweather Landing and returned to Helena in time to attend the affairs of Thanksgiving in the City Center Auditorium.

It would be difficult to establish the highlight of the service but the combination of Brother Daniel A. Poling's talk, the 140 voice choir and the enthusiastic group of 2500 people, must have been pleasing to the Great Architect.

The Rev. Dr. Poling, Past Grand Chaplain of the Grand Lodge of N.Y., journeyed to Montana to deliver an inspiring sermon entitled "The Price of Freedom Now." Copies of this address are available from the Grand Secretary's Office of Montana for all to read who wish to be inspired by the wisdom of this scholar of Masonry and Christianity.

Monday morning, June 27, a few items of business were transacted including the reception of visitors from other Grand Jurisdictions, who were received and welcomed. At 11 O'clock everyone journeyed to Mullin Pass, North West of Helena, the site of the first known meeting of Masons in Montana and a hallowed spot to Masonry. From the floor of Helena Valley private automobiles wound their way upward to carry over 900 visitors. Following a brief ceremony depicting the events of that meeting more than a century ago, the Grand Master assisted by the Grand Chaplain formally dedicated the site to Masonry, and unveiled the plaque to the stone Altar. Grand Secretary Lyman E. Smith served as Master of Ceremonies. Immediately after the group enjoyed a picnic luncheon served by the brethren and ladies under the trees. Many visitors from Montana Lodges and others stated, "Surely there can be no more." In just 44 hours we had been treated to a round of activities seldom seen at any other communication. There were more surprises to come.

The answer came on Monday afternoon about 3 o'clock. The Civic Center auditorium was filled with Masons and families to witness the dramatic presentation by the Ashlar Players of Ashlar Lodge No. 29 AF & AM of Billings. These brethren introduced a play written especially for this centennial and depicting the historical events peculiar to Montana Masonry. The crowd was enthralled with the sincerity of the cast and the professional like manner in which they went about their presentation.

Tuesday morning about 11 o'clock Grand Master Neath called the Grand Lodge to refreshment and the Brethren journeyed to the Masonic Home where a picnic lunch was served by courtesy of the three Shrine Temples of Montana. Hosts for this picnic were represented by their Ill. Potentates: John Martello, Algeria Temple, Helena; Ralph Beck, Bagdad Temple, Butte; Andrew Rahn, Bedoo Temple, Billings, Montana.

While the Brethren were enjoying their picnic lunch, the ladies were in attendance at a brunch at Jorgenson's Holiday Inn. They, too, enjoyed the festive board, after which a group of ladies presented a style show depicting the styles of the past 100 years.

Dorothea Neath, wife of the Grand Master, was host for this event, and introduced her daughters Sally Lawrence as commentator

and Nancy Steward as model. One of the highlights was the presence of the wife of Bro. Tim Babcock, Governor of Montana, who modeled the gown designed for her to wear during the Centennial of the State of Montana in 1964.

At 4 o'clock the business session of Grand Lodge was halted for the day.

The proceedings carry a copy of the program of each one of the different celebrations and activities that was put on for the benefit of the visitors. This is an inspiration to those who were present and looked back with much pleasure to what transpired in those four very famous days.

One outstanding event was the address of welcome by Bro. Tim Babcock, Governor of Montana.

He made a wonderful address of welcome and no one could help but feel that you were really and truly welcome, not only to the Grand Lodge of Montana, but to Montana as well. He closed by saying, "As the Grand Lodge of Montana enters its 101st year, I extend to it and its members and friends my best wishes for every success in advancement."

Another address of welcome was by Bro. Phillip Duncan, City Commissioner, who likewise was very generous in his words of welcome.

The response to the address of welcome was by Donovan Worden, Jr. Acting Deputy Grand Master. These also were generous words of appreciation for the words of welcome that had been bestowed upon the visitors and there were an enormous number of visitors present.

A memorial to R. W. Stephen Holt, Jr. Deputy Grand Master, who passed away only a few days prior to this meeting was then read.—a beautiful Memorial to a fine man. He was only 60 years old having been born in 1906 and would have been elected Grand Master at the meeting that we were attending.

A number of presentations were given at this time from various visiting delegations. One was the presentation of the gavel by W. B. Harold Axford of Oregon. Another was the presentation of the flag of Kansas by W. E. Brafford, Deputy Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Kansas. The other was the presentation of the flag of Colorado by Ervin M. Cannon, Grand Master of Colorado. Then followed the reports No. 1 and No. 2 of the Jurisprudence Committee—then came the presentation of the flag of Venezuela by Harold W. Thoms, Personal Representative of the Grand Master of Venezuela.

It has been the pleasure and privilege of this Scribe to be the Grand Representative of Montana near the Grand Lodge of North Carolina for over 30 years, and I have kept in constant contact with the doings of the Grand Lodge of Montana throughout all this time. In viewing it from a host's standpoint, I am prepared to believe that the future of the Grand Lodge of Montana is very bright. The loss column they showed this year does not mean anything if you go by the enthusiasm that was demonstrated at this communication.

Bro. Charles Harris, our Grand Secretary of North Carolina, left on the evening of the last day to go to California to attend the meeting of the Imperial Council of the Shrine. Mrs. Pugh and I waited over another day and came straight home from Helena.

We both are unanimous in the fact that it was one of the most enjoyable visitations of another Grand Lodge that it has ever been the privilege of either one of us to attend.

I would be remiss in my duty if I did not mention our very genial host and hostess Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Miller. They met us at the airport on Saturday afternoon and attended to our every want. We were entertained as Royalty during the whole period of our visitation as any place that we have ever attended. Many thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Miller, who happened to be the Grand Historian of that year, for their many courtesies and also to the Grand Secretary, Bro. Lyman E. Smith, who I know in another channel of Masonry. I do not know of any finer Masons in my acquaintances than those in Montana.

Both Brother Harris and I were made Honorary Members of the Grand Lodge of Montana, and received certificates bearing the title of Honorary Past Grand Master.

TENNESSEE

152nd Annual Communication, Nashville, Tennessee, March 23, 1966.

Francis Carter Yearwood, M.:W.:Grand Master. Number of Chartered Lodges December 31, 1965 was 389. Number of members December 31, 1965 was 92,711. Net gain 579.

Due to the sudden illness of Grand Master Yearwood who was taken to the hospital, the Grand Lodge was opened by R.:W.:James Edgar McFadin, Deputy Grand Master, who presided during the first session of Grand Lodge.

Eleven Grand Lodges were represented at this Annual Communication as well as the Grand High Priest, the Most Illustrious Grand Master and the Grand Commander of the Commandery of Knights Templar of Tennessee.

North Carolina was represented by Chas. C. Ricker, Past Grand Master and Maurice Walsh, at present Junior Grand Warden representing the Most Worshipful Grand Master of North Carolina.

The address of the Grand Master indicated a year of intense activity in which he had followed every effort to make a success out of his administration. Of course, Tennessee had one of those Jurisdictions that continually make the net gain in all their Masonic Bodies year after year.

He made a number of visits outside the state of Tennessee as well as a large number of visits within his own Jurisdiction to say nothing of the District Meetings and the other Masonic Organizations which he attended.

A table of their Annual Dues and fees for the degrees shows the following: The lowest amount of annual dues is \$3.50, the highest is \$25.00. The lowest fee for degrees is \$35.00 and the highest \$80.00. The average dues for 1965 was \$7.91 which was an increase of 23 cents over the previous year. The average fee for degrees was \$52.00, being an increase of 13 cents over the previous year.

Under State of the Craft we quote two or three paragraphs of the conclusion of his address:

"I am satisfied that the Grand Lodge of Tennessee is in sound and healthy condition. This is due in my opinion to the management of a

superb office force. For the twenty-fifth consecutive year we show a net gain, this time the number is 579 for 1965. I am personally very happy to see the forward march of Freemasonry in our state.

"I would be ungrateful if I failed to express my thanks to all who have so kindly and efficiently helped, aided and assisted me in all matters pertaining to my duties as Grand Master. Especially would I express my appreciation for the self-denying and invaluable assistance rendered me by Colonel Thomas Earl Doss, our R.'W.'Grand Secretary, and I want to commend the intelligent, prompt business-like manner in which the affairs of this office have been conducted. My personal friend for more than thirty years, he has always been very kind to and considerate of me.

"Brother John T. Reynolds, able assistant to the Grand Secretary, is almost the indispensable man in our Grand Lodge's office work. Thank you, Brother John, for your untiring labors on my behalf. You would have made an outstanding lawyer had you chosen that as your profession.

"And to Brother Wallace Phelan Douglas, P.G.M., who attended all of the District Meetings and has made so many other visitations within and without the state, I say "Thank you, most sincerely, Bro. Phelan."

The Grand Lodge made a motion that \$100.00 be appropriated to contribute to the Knights Templar Eye Foundation. This was unusual, it being the first time that we have noted the Grand Lodge contributing to the objective of another Body.

Election of Brother Phelan Douglas as Grand Secretary and Thomas Earl Doss who had been Grand Secretary for over 30 years, as Grand Secretary-emeritus was one of the changes in the line up of the Grand Line.

The Proceedings of Tennessee for 1966 are Edited in fine style. A neat format and the Reviews are excellent.

We appreciate their Review of North Carolina.

WYOMING

92nd Annual Communication, Rock Springs, Wyo., Aug. 22, 23, 1966.

M.'W.'.Albert C. Harding, Grand Master. Membership 12,805; Net Loss 89.

A tabulation of their membership shows that from 1957 to 1961, inclusive, they showed a net gain and in the next five years have shown a net loss.

However, the gains during the ten year period are more than the losses. For instance, in 1957 their membership was 12,544; in 1962 after several years of net gain they had 13,082. In 1966 with several years of net losses they had 12,805. It will be observed that in 1966 their membership was larger than it was in 1961. It shows that in the overall period they have made a net gain. It is hoped that they are in the upgrade again and will again show a net gain.

The Grand Master was very busy holding eleven special communications during his term of office. The first was for the laying of a cornerstone of the Student Center in Casper. The next was at Jackson for the purpose of installing the Senior Grand Steward. Next was

at Laramie where he laid the cornerstone of Downey Hall at the University of Wyoming. Next was at Rock Springs where he installed the Grand Tyler. Then he held a special communication at Deaver where he laid a cornerstone for the new Deaver High School and without closing Grand Lodge they proceeded to Cody where he laid the cornerstone at the Public Library. Another at Laramie was for the purpose of conducting Masonic Committal Rites for Past Grand Master Holliday. Another was at Basin where he laid a cornerstone for the County Building; then at Glenrock for the cornerstone of the High School building. Next came one at Cheyenne where he laid a cornerstone for the Salvation Army Community Center. Next at Greybull for the funeral of Past Grand Master Zorn; and at Jackson for the cornerstone of the Jackson-Wilson High School.

The report of the director of Masonic Education was very interesting. We are quoting 7 objectives which they have outlined.

1. To present programs in which the ritual and its meanings are discussed and better understood.
2. To promote an interest in Masonic history with some emphasis on prominent Masons of the past and present.
3. To encourage a study of the symbolism of Masonry.
4. To encourage some thinking on the philosophy suggested by the Masonic ritual.
5. To encourage the reading of the vast quantity of material available on Masonry.
6. To encourage research on Masonic subjects
7. To relate the great truths of Ancient Craft Masonry to our modern world in such a manner as to establish the Fraternity as a vital force in today's and tomorrow's world.

One distinguished visitor who made a few remarks was Conrad Hahn, Executive Secretary of Masonic Service Association. He always makes a good talk, and a good appearance everywhere he goes.

Th address of the Grand Master revealed a year of intensive work. He issued 19 special Dispensations. Five of these were to install officers after June 2 to authorize Degree work by Degree teams. One for an occasional association meeting, three for outdoor meetings, and 8 to attend Divine Services. Only 6 Lodges requested dispensations for Church Services compared with 16 the previous year, and the Grand Master regrets not having emphasized this aspect of Masonry during his year. Special Commendation goes to Capitol Lodge No. 54 for three such dispensations this year for visits to a Greek Orthodox Church, Jewish Synagogue and a Congregational Church.

We observe that in issuing dispensations there is usually a \$5.00 fee. For instance, we will quote one. Sept. 1, 1965 Ashlar Lodge No. 10. To install the Junior Deacon and the Tyler at a regular Communication. Sept. 7, 1965. \$5.00 fee paid. In most of these dispensations there is a fee of \$5.00 charged for the dispensation. On occasions we have observed that no fee was required.

They have no reviews but they carry a roster of the entire membership of the Grand Lodge of Wyoming.

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GRAND MASTER	DEPUTY GRAND MASTER	SENIOR GRAND WARDEN	JUNIOR GRAND WARDEN	GRAND TREASURER	GRAND SECRETARY
1787 Samuel Johnston	Richard Caswell	Richard Ellis	Michael Payne	Abner Neale	James Glasgow
1788 Richard Caswell	Michael Payne	James Glasgow	Silas White Arnett	Stephen Cabarrus	William J. Dawson
1789 Samuel Johnston	James Glasgow	Silas White Arnett	Lunsford Long	Stephen Cabarrus	William J. Dawson
1790 Samuel Johnston	James Glasgow	Stephen Cabarrus	Isaac Guion	Frederick Hargett	Matthias Handy
1791 Samuel Johnston	James Glasgow	Stephen Cabarrus	Lunsford Long	Frederick Hargett	Matthias Handy
1792 Wm. Richardson Davie	James Glasgow	Lunsford Long	John Macon	Frederick Hargett	James Ellis
1793 Wm. Richardson Davie	James Glasgow	John Macon	John Louis Taylor	Frederick Hargett	Richard W. Freear
1794 Wm. Richardson Davie	James Glasgow	John Louis Taylor	John Ingles	Walter Alvis	Richard W. Freear
1795 Wm. Richardson Davie	James Glasgow	John Louis Taylor	Henry Hill	John Macon	Robert Williams
1796 Wm. Richardson Davie	James Glasgow	John Louis Taylor	Montfort Stokes	Richard W. Freear	Robert Williams
1797 Wm. Richardson Davie	James Glasgow	John Louis Taylor	Montfort Stokes	Richard W. Freear	Robert Williams
1798 Wm. Richardson Davie	John Haywood	John Louis Taylor	David Caldwell	Henry Potter	Robert Williams
1799 William Polk	John Louis Taylor	Montfort Stokes	Waightstill Avery	Henry Potter	Robert Williams
1800 William Polk	John Louis Taylor	Montfort Stokes	John Winslow	Henry Potter	Robert Williams
1801 William Polk	John Louis Taylor	Montfort Stokes	William Duffy	William Boylan	Robert Williams
1802 John Louis Taylor	Montfort Stokes	John Hall	Nathaniel Alexander	William Boylan	Robert Williams
1803 John Louis Taylor	Montfort Stokes	John Hall	William Duffy	William Boylan	Robert Williams
1804 John Louis Taylor	Montfort Stokes	John Hall	Robert Cochran	William Boylan	Robert Williams
1805 John Hall	Montfort Stokes	Robert Cochran	William Duffy	William Boylan	Robert Williams
1806 John Hall	Montfort Stokes	Robert Cochran	William Duffy	William Boylan	Robert Williams
1807 John Hall	Montfort Stokes	Benjamin Smith	Geo. Lee Davidson	William Boylan	Robert Williams
1808 Benjamin Smith	Robert Williams	Geo. Lee Davidson	Andrew Caldwell	William Boylan	Thomas L. Williams
1809 Benjamin Smith	Robert Williams	Montfort Stokes	Calvin Jones	William Boylan	Thomas L. Williams
1810 Benjamin Smith	Robert Williams	Calvin Jones	Geo. Lee Davidson	William Boylan	Thomas L. Williams
1811 Robert Williams	Jeremiah Slade	Calvin Jones	Geo. Lee Davidson	William Boylan	Alexander Lucas
1812 Robert Williams	Jeremiah Slade	Calvin Jones	William Miller	William Boylan	Alexander Lucas
1813 Robert Williams	Jeremiah Slade	Calvin Jones	William Miller	William Boylan	Alexander Lucas
1814 John Louis Taylor	Jeremiah Slade	Calvin Jones	William Miller	William Boylan	Alexander Lucas
1815 John Louis Taylor	Kemp Plummer	Calvin Jones	William Miller	William Boylan	Alexander Lucas
1816 John Louis Taylor	John Winslow	James Iredell	William Miller	William Boylan	Alexander Lucas
1817 Calvin Jones	John Winslow	Louis Dicken Wilson	Simmons J. Baker	William Boylan	Alexander Lucas
1818 Calvin Jones	John Winslow	Louis Dicken Wilson	Leonard Henderson	William Boylan	Alexander Lucas
1819 Calvin Jones	James Iredell	Louis Dicken Wilson	John C. Ehringhaus	William Boylan	Alexander Lucas
1820 John Adams Cameron	Frederick Nash	Jas. Strudwick Smith	Joseph H. Bryan	William Boylan	Bazaleel Gillett
1821 John Adams Cameron	James Iredell	Joseph H. Bryan	Richard D. Spaight	William Boylan	Benj. A. Barham
1822 James Strudwick Smith	Francis Lister Hawks	Thomas Clancy	Bazaleel Gillett	William Boylan	Alex. J. Lawrence
1823 Robert Strange	Francis Lister Hawks	Thomas A. Pasteur	Bazaleel Gillett	Benjamin A. Barham	Alex. J. Lawrence
1824 Robert Strange	Francis Lister Hawks	George E. Sprull	Louis Dicken Wilson	Benjamin A. Barham	Alex. J. Lawrence
1825 Hutchins Gordon Burton	Francis Lister Hawks	George E. Sprull	Louis Dicken Wilson	Benjamin A. Barham	Alex. J. Lawrence
1826 Hutchins Gordon Burton	John E. Lewis	George E. Sprull	Jesse Speight	Benjamin A. Barham	Alex. J. Lawrence
1827 Louis Dicken Wilson					

1828 Louis Dicken Wilson	John Owen	James Grant	Samuel F. Patterson	Benjamin A. Barham	John C. Stedman
1829 Louis Dicken Wilson	John Owen	James Grant	Samuel F. Patterson	Benjamin A. Barham	John C. Stedman
1830 Richard Dobbs Spaight	Samuel F. Patterson	George Blair	John Hill Wheeler	Benjamin A. Barham	John C. Stedman
1831 Richard Dobbs Spaight	Samuel F. Patterson	Rufus Haywood	Daniel Coleman	Dirk Lindeman	Charles D. Lehman
1832 Simmons Jones Baker	William Davidson	Gray Little	John G. Marshall	Dirk Lindeman	Thomas J. Lemay
1833 Samuel F. Patterson	David W. Stone	Daniel Coleman	Edmund B. Freeman	Dirk Lindeman	John J. Christophers
1834 Samuel F. Patterson	David W. Stone	Daniel Coleman	John G. Marshall	Dirk Lindeman	John J. Christophers
1835 Lewis H. Marsteller	David W. Stone	Daniel Coleman	Edmund B. Freeman	Green W. Ligon	John J. Christophers
1836 Lewis H. Marsteller	David W. Stone	Henry Blount	James MacIn	Green W. Ligon	William T. Bain
1837 David W. Stone	Thomas L. B. Gregory	William W. Cherry	William B. Dunn	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1838 David W. Stone	Kenneth Rayner	William W. Cherry	Duncan G. McRae	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1839 David W. Stone	William B. Dunn	John G. Marshall	Daniel S. Crenshaw	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1840 Simmons Jones Baker	William S. Baker	Daniel S. Crenshaw	Kader Biggs	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William A. Harrison
1841 Daniel S. Crenshaw	Thomas Loring	Thomas E. Pender	Davis Young	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William A. Harrison
1842 John Hill Wheeler	Jonathan H. Jacobs	Thomas E. Pender	Davis Young	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William A. Harrison
1843 John Hill Wheeler	David Lowery Swain	Phineas W. Fanning	William P. Taylor	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William A. Harrison
1844 Phineas W. Fanning	David W. Stone	Thomas S. Clark	Arthur S. Mooring	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1845 Phineas W. Fanning	Thomas Loring	Wiley W. Johnson	Talcott Burr	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1846 Phineas W. Fanning	William Gott	John H. Drake	Peter Adams	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1847 William F. Collins	Clement H. Jordan	Talcott Burr	William H. Mead	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1848 William F. Collins	Clement H. Jordan	John H. Drake	Joab Hiatt	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1849 William F. Collins	Clement H. Jordan	William G. Hill	Joab Hiatt	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1850 Alonzo T. Jenkins	Cyrus P. Mendenhall	Luke Blackmer	James E. Allen	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1851 Alonzo T. Jenkins	Cyrus P. Mendenhall	Luke Blackmer	James E. Allen	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1852 Alonzo T. Jenkins	Cyrus P. Mendenhall	Luke Blackmer	William P. Taylor	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1853 Clement H. Jordan	William P. Taylor	Peter Adams	James H. Moore	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1854 Clement H. Jordan	William P. Taylor	William K. Blake	Joseph Green	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1855 Pleasant A. Holt	William P. Taylor	William K. Blake	Joseph Green	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1856 Pleasant A. Holt	Alfred Martin	James T. Alexander	Joseph M. Cox	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1857 Alfred Martin	Lewis S. Williams	James T. Alexander	Joseph M. Cox	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1858 Alfred Martin	Lewis S. Williams	Henry C. Lucas	Daniel Coleman	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1859 Lewis S. Williams	Eli W. Ward	Henry C. Lucas	Eli F. Watson	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1860 Lewis S. Williams	Eli W. Ward	James E. Allen	Charles C. Clark	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1861 William G. Hill	Eli Watson	Daniel Coleman	Rufus K. Speed	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1862 Eli F. Watson	Edwin Godwin Reade	John McCormick	Rufus K. Speed	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1863 Eli F. Watson	Edwin Godwin Reade	John McCormick	Robert W. Best	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1864 John McCormick	Eugene Grissom	Robert W. Best	David H. Stephenson	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1865 Edwin Godwin Reade	John M. Hapoldt	Robert W. Best	John Nichols	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1866 Edwin Godwin Reade	Robert W. Best	William Lander	John Nichols	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1867 Robert W. Best	James G. Ramsey	Robert B. Vance	Thomas M. Gardner	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	Donald W. Bain
1868 Robert B. Vance	Ellis Malone	Joseph B. Batchelor	Samuel H. Rountree	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1869 Robert B. Vance	Ellis Malone	John Nichols	Samuel H. Rountree	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1870 Charles C. Clark	Joseph B. Batchelor	John Nichols	Clinton A. Cilley	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1871 Charles C. Clark	Joseph B. Batchelor	John Nichols	Robert W. Hardie	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1872 John Nichols	Thomas M. Gardner	Clinton A. Cilley	Robert W. Hardie	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1873 John Nichols	Thomas M. Gardner	Clinton A. Cilley	Horace H. Munson	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1874 George W. Blount	Clinton A. Cilley	Horace H. Munson	Robert V. Blackstock	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1875 George W. Blount	Samuel C. Shelton	Eugene Grissom			

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1786 Horace H. Munson	Clinton A. Cilley	Robert W. Hardie	James C. L. Gudger	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1777 Horace H. Munson	Thomas S. Kenan	Robert W. Hardie	James C. L. Gudger	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1778 William R. Cox	James C. L. Gudger	Chas. W. Alexander	Henry F. Grainger	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1779 William R. Cox	James C. L. Gudger	Chas. W. Alexander	Henry F. Grainger	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1780 Henry F. Grainger	James W. Reid	Robert Bingham	Charles H. Robinson	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1781 Henry F. Grainger	James W. Reid	Robert Bingham	Charles H. Robinson	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1782 Robert Bingham	Fabius H. Busbee	Charles H. Robinson	William T. Kennedy	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1783 Robert Bingham	Fabius H. Busbee	Charles H. Robinson	Samuel H. Smith	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1785 Fabius H. Busbee	Charles H. Robinson	Samuel H. Smith	Hezekiah A. Gudger	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1786 Fabius H. Busbee	Charles H. Robinson	Samuel H. Smith	Hezekiah A. Gudger	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1787 Charles H. Robinson	Samuel H. Smith	Hezekiah A. Gudger	John W. Cotten	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1788 Charles H. Robinson	Samuel H. Smith	Hezekiah A. Gudger	John W. Cotten	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1789 Samuel H. Smith	Hezekiah A. Gudger	John W. Cotten	Francis M. Moye	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1790 Samuel H. Smith	Hezekiah A. Gudger	John W. Cotten	Francis M. Moye	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1791 Hezekiah A. Gudger	John W. Cotten	Francis M. Moye	Richard J. Noble	Darius S. Waitt	Donald W. Bain
1792 Hezekiah A. Gudger	John W. Cotten	Francis M. Moye	Richard J. Noble	William Simpson	Donald W. Bain
1793 John W. Cotten	Francis M. Moye	Richard J. Noble	Walter E. Moore	William Simpson	William H. Bain
1794 John W. Cotten	Francis M. Moye	Richard J. Noble	Walter E. Moore	William Simpson	William H. Bain
1795 Francis M. Moye	Richard J. Noble	Walter E. Moore	James A. Leach	William Simpson	John C. Drawry
1796 Francis M. Moye	William H. Summerell	Walter E. Moore	Beverly S. Royster	William Simpson	John C. Drawry
1797 Walter E. Moore	Richard J. Noble	Beverly S. Royster	Henry Irwin Clark	William Simpson	John C. Drawry
1798 Walter E. Moore	Richard J. Noble	Beverly S. Royster	Henry Irwin Clark	William Simpson	John C. Drawry
1799 Richard J. Noble	Beverly S. Royster	Henry Irwin Clark	Walter S. Liddell	William Simpson	John C. Drawry
1800 Beverly S. Royster	Henry Irwin Clark	Walter S. Liddell	Francis D. Winston	William Simpson	John C. Drawry
1801 Beverly S. Royster	Henry Irwin Clark	Walter S. Liddell	Francis D. Winston	William Simpson	John C. Drawry
1802 Henry Irwin Clark	Walter S. Liddell	Francis D. Winston	Samuel M. Gattis	William Simpson	John C. Drawry
1803 Henry Irwin Clark	Walter S. Liddell	Francis D. Winston	Samuel M. Gattis	William Simpson	John C. Drawry
1804 Walter S. Liddell	Francis D. Winston	Samuel M. Gattis	Richard N. Hackett	William Simpson	John C. Drawry
1805 Walter S. Liddell	Francis D. Winston	Samuel M. Gattis	Richard N. Hackett	Leo. D. Heartt	John C. Drawry
1806 Francis D. Winston	Samuel M. Gattis	Richard N. Hackett	William B. McKoy	Leo. D. Heartt	John C. Drawry
1807 Francis D. Winston	Samuel M. Gattis	Richard N. Hackett	William B. McKoy	Leo. D. Heartt	John C. Drawry
1808 Samuel M. Gattis	Richard N. Hackett	William B. McKoy	F. M. Winchester	Leo. D. Heartt	John C. Drawry
1809 Samuel M. Gattis	Richard N. Hackett	William B. McKoy	F. M. Winchester	Leo. D. Heartt	John C. Drawry
1810 Richard N. Hackett	William B. McKoy	F. M. Winchester	John T. Alderman	Leo. D. Heartt	John C. Drawry
1811 Richard N. Hackett	William B. McKoy	F. M. Winchester	John T. Alderman	Leo. D. Heartt	John C. Drawry
1812 William B. McKoy	Francis M. Winchester	John T. Alderman	Frank P. Hobgood, Jr.	Leo. D. Heartt	John C. Drawry
1813 Francis M. Winchester	John T. Alderman	Frank P. Hobgood, Jr.	Alex. B. Andrews, Jr.	Leo. D. Heartt	John C. Drawry
1814 John T. Alderman	Frank P. Hobgood, Jr.	Alex. B. Andrews, Jr.	Claude L. Pridgen	Leo. D. Heartt	John C. Drawry
1815 Frank P. Hobgood, Jr.	Alex. B. Andrews, Jr.	Claude L. Pridgen	George S. Norfleet	Leo. D. Heartt	John C. Drawry
1816 Alex. B. Andrews, Jr.	Claude L. Pridgen	George S. Norfleet	Henry A. Grady	Leo. D. Heartt	John C. Drawry
1817 Claude L. Pridgen	George S. Norfleet	Henry A. Grady	James C. Braswell	Benjamin R. Lacy	William W. Willson
1818 George S. Norfleet	Henry A. Grady	James C. Braswell	J. Badley Owen		William W. Willson

1919 Henry A. Grady	James C. Braswell	J. Bailey Owen	James H. Webb	Benjamin R. Lacy	William W. Willson
1920 James C. Braswell	J. Bailey Owen	James H. Webb	Hubert M. Poteat	Benjamin R. Lacy	William W. Willson
1921 J. Bailey Owen	James H. Webb	Hubert M. Poteat	J. LeGrand Everett	Benjamin R. Lacy	William W. Willson
1922 James H. Webb	Hubert M. Poteat	J. LeGrand Everett	Leon Cash	Benjamin R. Lacy	William W. Willson
1923 Hubert M. Poteat	J. LeGrand Everett	Leon Cash	John E. Cameron	Benjamin R. Lacy	William W. Willson
1924 J. LeGrand Everett	Leon Cash	John E. Cameron	John H. Anderson	Benjamin R. Lacy	William W. Willson
1925 Leon Cash	John E. Cameron	John H. Anderson	Raymond C. Dunn	Benjamin R. Lacy	William W. Willson
1926 John E. Cameron	John H. Anderson	Raymond C. Dunn	John J. Phoenix	Benjamin R. Lacy	William W. Willson
1927 John H. Anderson	Raymond C. Dunn	John J. Phoenix	E. W. Timberlake, Jr.	Benjamin R. Lacy	William W. Willson
1928 Raymond C. Dunn	John J. Phoenix	E. W. Timberlake, Jr.	J. Wallace Winborne	John J. Phoenix	John H. Anderson
1929 John J. Phoenix	E. W. Timberlake, Jr.	J. Wallace Winborne	Herbert C. Alexander	John J. Phoenix	John H. Anderson
1930 Edgar W. Timberlake, Jr.	Herbert C. Alexander	P. T. Wilson	Roy F. Ebbs	John J. Phoenix	John H. Anderson
1931 J. Wallace Winborne	P. T. Wilson	Roy F. Ebbs	Charles B. Newcomb	John J. Phoenix	John H. Anderson
1932 Herbert C. Alexander	Roy F. Ebbs	Charles B. Newcomb	J. Giles Hudson	John J. Phoenix	John H. Anderson
1933 P. T. Wilson	Charles B. Newcomb	J. Giles Hudson	Watson N. Sherrod	Herbert C. Alexander	John H. Anderson
1934 Roy F. Ebbs	J. Giles Hudson	Watson N. Sherrod	Harry T. Paterson	Herbert C. Alexander	John H. Anderson
1935 Charles B. Newcomb	Watson N. Sherrod	Harry T. Paterson	J. Edward Allen	Herbert C. Alexander	John H. Anderson
1936 J. Giles Hudson	Harry T. Paterson	J. Edward Allen	Thos. J. Harkins	Herbert C. Alexander	John H. Anderson
1937 Watson N. Sherrod	J. Edward Allen	Thos. J. Harkins	Charles P. Eldridge	Herbert C. Alexander	John H. Anderson
1938 Harry T. Paterson	Thos. J. Harkins	Charles P. Eldridge	James E. Shipman	Herbert C. Alexander	John H. Anderson
1939 J. Edward Allen	Charles P. Eldridge	James E. Shipman	James W. Payne	Herbert C. Alexander	John H. Anderson
1940 Thomas J. Harkins	James E. Shipman	James W. Payne	Julius C. Hobbs	Herbert C. Alexander	John H. Anderson
1941 Charles P. Eldridge	James W. Payne	Julius C. Hobbs	Clyde H. Jarrett	Herbert C. Alexander	John H. Anderson
1942 James E. Shipman	James W. Payne	Clyde H. Jarrett	William J. Bundy	Herbert C. Alexander	John H. Anderson
1943 James W. Payne	Julius C. Hobbs	William J. Bundy	Luther T. Hartsell, Jr.	Herbert C. Alexander	Chas. B. Newcomb
1944 Julius C. Hobbs	Clyde H. Jarrett	Luther T. Hartsell, Jr.	Maxwell E. Hoffman	Herbert C. Alexander	Wilbur L. McIver
1945 Clyde H. Jarrett	William J. Bundy	Maxwell E. Hoffman	Wilkins P. Horton	Herbert C. Alexander	Wilbur L. McIver
1946 William J. Bundy	Luther T. Hartsell, Jr.	Wilkins P. Horton	Wallace E. Caldwell	Herbert C. Alexander	Wilbur L. McIver
1947 Luther T. Hartsell, Jr.	Maxwell E. Hoffman	Wallace E. Caldwell	Herbert M. Foy	Herbert C. Alexander	Wilbur L. McIver
1948 Maxwell E. Hoffman	Wilkins P. Horton	Herbert M. Foy	William H. White	Herbert C. Alexander	Wilbur L. McIver
1949 Wilkins P. Horton	Wallace E. Caldwell	William H. White	Edwin T. Howard	Herbert C. Alexander	Wilbur L. McIver
1950 Wallace E. Caldwell	Herbert M. Foy	Edwin T. Howard	Robert L. Pugh	Herbert C. Alexander	Wilbur L. McIver
1951 Herbert M. Foy	William H. White	Robert L. Pugh	Charles H. Pugh	Herbert C. Alexander	Wilbur L. McIver
1952 William H. White	Edwin T. Howard	Charles H. Pugh	John C. Vance	Herbert C. Alexander	Wilbur L. McIver
1953 Edwin T. Howard	Robert L. Pugh	John C. Vance	Charles A. Harris	Herbert C. Alexander	Wilbur L. McIver
1954 Robert L. Pugh	Charles H. Pugh	Charles A. Harris	James G. Johnston	Herbert C. Alexander	Wilbur L. McIver
1955 Charles H. Pugh	John C. Vance	James G. Johnston	W. Ell Hand	Herbert C. Alexander	Wilbur L. McIver
1956 John C. Vance	Charles A. Harris	W. Ell Hand	Harvey W. Smith	Herbert M. Foy	Charles A. Harris
1957 Charles A. Harris	James G. Johnston	Harvey W. Smith	Lester H. Gillikin	Herbert M. Foy	Charles A. Harris
1958 James G. Johnston	W. Ell Hand	Lester H. Gillikin	Charles C. Ricker	Herbert M. Foy	Charles A. Harris
1959 W. Ell Hand	Harvey W. Smith	Charles C. Ricker	W. Edward Burrier	Herbert M. Foy	Charles A. Harris
1960 Harvey W. Smith	James W. Brewer	W. Edward Burrier	G. Dudley Humphrey	James W. Brewer	Charles A. Harris
1961 James W. Brewer	Charles C. Ricker	G. Dudley Humphrey	Sam A. Hennis, Jr.	James W. Brewer	Charles A. Harris
1962 Charles C. Ricker	W. Edward Burrier	Sam A. Hennis, Jr.	Arnold J. Koonce, Sr.	James W. Brewer	Charles A. Harris
1963 W. Edward Burrier	G. Dudley Humphrey	Arnold J. Koonce, Sr.	Alfred A. Kafer, Jr.	James W. Brewer	Charles A. Harris
1964 G. Dudley Humphrey	Sam A. Hennis, Jr.	Alfred A. Kafer, Jr.	Robert N. Bass, Jr.	James W. Brewer	Charles A. Harris
1965 Sam A. Hennis, Jr.	Arnold J. Koonce, Sr.	Robert N. Bass, Jr.	William A. Hooks	James W. Brewer	Charles A. Harris
1966 Arnold J. Koonce, Sr.	Alfred A. Kafer, Jr.	William A. Hooks			
1967 Alfred A. Kafer, Jr.	Robert N. Bass, Jr.				

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Grand Lodge	Grand Secretary and His Address	THEIR Grand Representative Near Our Grand Lodge and His Address	OUR Grand Representative Near Their Grand Lodge and His Address
Alabama (F. & A.M.)	Gordon L. Evatt, P.G.M., Box 98 Montgomery 1 (36101)	Rev. A. D. Leon Gray, Supt., Oxford Orphanage, Oxford	George F. Logan, Box 156, Tallahassee
Arizona (F. & A.M.)	Gerald I. Craig, P.G.M., Mas. Temple, 4th & Monroe, Phoenix 3 (85003)	Leslie H. Garner, Box 440, Greenville	Conrad H. Baldwin, P.G.M., 311 Winslow Ave., Winslow
Arkansas (F. & A.M.)	L. Leland McDaniel, P.G.M., 700 Scott St., Little Rock (72201)	Francis O. Gibbs, 403 Aberdeen Terrace, Greensboro	Paul S. Lyon, North Little Rock
California (F. & A.M.)	Edward H. Siems, P.G.M., 1111 California St., San Francisco 8 (94108)	California does NOT exchange Grand Representatives.	
Colorado (A.F. & F.M.)	Dean C. Settle, Suite 300, Mas. Temp., 1614 Welton St., Denver 2 (80202)	Watson N. Sherrod, P.G.M., 115 N. Church St., Enfield	Lawrence A. Long, Gunnison
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Delaware (A.F. & A.M.)	James B. Kilvington, P.G.M., 510 Greenhill Rd., Dover, Del.	Gilbert R. Cooper, Rt. 3, Box 397, Charlotte 3	Urah W. Long, P.G.M., Selbyville
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Georgia (F. & A.M.)	Daniel W. Locklin, Grand Lodge Building, 811 Mulberry St., Macon (31201)	Dr. Maxwell E. Hoffman, P.G.M., 345 Midland Dr., Asheville	E. Descombe Wells, P.G.M., Savannah
Idaho (A.F. & A.M.)	Herbert H. Eberle, P. O. Box 1677, Boise (83704)	Henry W. Pickett, 2408 Chapel Hill Rd., Durham	Floyd A. Perks, Sandpoint
Illinois (A.F. & A.M.)	Paul R. Stephens, P.G.M., Box 110, Rushville (62681)	Robert N. Bass, Jr., Box 9244, Raleigh	Stafford B. Light, 2944 N. Kilpatrick Ave., Chicago 41
Indiana (F. & A.M.)	Dwight L. Smith, P.G.M., Mas. Temp., Indianapolis 4 (46204)	Sam D. Bundy, Farmville	Herrick E. H. Greenleaf, Greencastle
Iowa (A.F. & A.M.)	Ralph E. Whipple, Box 271, Cedar Rapids (52406)	Iowa does NOT exchange Grand Representatives	

GRAND LODGES, GRAND SECRETARIES AND GRAND REPRESENTATIVES

Grand Lodge	Grand Secretary and His Address	THEIR Grand Representative Near Our Grand Lodge and His Address	OUR Grand Representative Near Their Grand Lodge and His Address
Kansas (A.F. & A.M.)	Charles S. McGinness, Box 1217, Topeka (66601)	Joel J. Faulk, 2342 East 7th St., Charlotte	Chester B. Fullerton, 101 S. Main St., Medicine Lodge
Kentucky (F. & A.M.)	J. C. McClanahan, P.G.M., Mas. Temp., 1000 South 4th St., Louisville 3 (40203)	W. Eli Hand, P.G.M., 7204 San Carlos Rd., Jacksonville 17, Florida	Davie J. Smith, Corbin
Louisiana (F. & A.M.)	J. Peter Laguens, Jr., 1300 Mas. Temp., 333 St. Charles St., New Orleans 12	William L. Mills, Jr., Box 368, Concord	Henry G. Taliaferro, Box 368, Jonesville
Maine (A.F. & A.M.)	Earle D. Webster, 415 Congress St., Mas. Temp., Portland 3 (04111)	Fred F. Harding, 2707 Barmettler St., Raleigh	George W. Haskell, Houlton
Maryland (A.F. & A.M.)	Gerald M. Pine, Mas. Temp., 225 N. Charles St., Baltimore 1 (21201)	William H. White, P.G.M., Box 87, Sanford	E. Ellwood Smyrk, Baltimore
Massachusetts (A.F. & A.M.)	Earl W. Taylor, 51 Boylston St., Boston 16 (02116)	Alfred A. Kafer, Jr., Box 1349, New Bern	Whitfield W. Johnson, Cambridge
Michigan (F. & A.M.)	Charles T. Sherman, P.G.M., Mas. Temp., 233 E. Fulton St., Grand Rapids 3 (49502)	Edwin T. Howard, P.G.M., 422 Edgedale Dr., High Point	Lloyd R. Fisher, Grand Rapids
Minnesota (A.F. & A.M.)	David E. Palmer, 130 N. Smith Ave., St. Paul 2 (55102)	James J. Gilbert, c/o C. Heber Forbes Store, Greenville	Charles T. Helgeson, 4633 Colfax Ave., Minneapolis 9
Mississippi (F. & A.M.)	Cecil A. Thorne, Box 1030, Meridian (39302)	Henry M. Brandon, 402 Carolina Circle, Winston-Salem	Harry S. Parks, Conehatta
Missouri (A.F. & A.M.)	Elmer W. Wagner, 3681 Lindell Blvd., St. Louis 8 (63108)	Hon. Emery B. Denny, Justice Bldg., Raleigh	Rex E. DeWhirst, St. Louis
Montana (A.F. & A.M.)	Lyman E. Smith, Box 1158, Helena (59601)	Dr. Charles H. Pugh, P.G.M., Box 1478, Gastonia	Arthur A. Tesch, Choleau
Nebraska (A.F. & A.M.)	Carl R. Greisen, 201 Mas. Temple, Omaha 2 (68102)	Nathaniel C. Dean Box 351, Norwood	Levi B. Williams, 1333 South 35th St., Omaha
Nevada (F. & A.M.)	Royal D. Crowell, P.G.M., Box 186, Gardnerville		Henry C. Nelson, Box 589, Winnemucca
New Hampshire (F. & A.M.)	Harold O. Cady, P.G.M., Box 299, Concord (03302)	Hackett C. Wilson, Box 105, Shelby	Hiram W. Johnson, 3 Highland Ave., Antrim

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Grand Lodge	Grand Secretary and His Address	THEIR Grand Representative Near Our Grand Lodge and His Address	OUR Grand Representative Near Their Grand Lodge and His Address
New Jersey (F. & A.M.)	Harvey C. Whildey, 100 S. Willow St., Trenton 9 (08608)	C. Wallace Jackson, Box 725, Fayetteville	Harold V. B. Voorhis, Apt. 9-C, 60 Remsen St., Brooklyn 1
New Mexico (A.F. & A.M.)	Chandler C. Thomas, Box 535, Albuquerque (87103)	Samuel D. Smith, Sr., Box 117, Hickory	E. Turner Hensley, Jr., Box 150, Portales
New York (F. & A.M.)	Wendell K. Walker, Mas. Hall, 71 W. 23rd St., New York (10010)	William J. Bundy, P.G.M., 1712 Knollwood Dr., Greenville	Harry Salwyn Fischer, 274 Madison Ave., New York, N. Y.
North Carolina (A.F. & A.M.)	Charles A. Harris, P.G.M., Box 6506, Raleigh (27608)		
North Dakota (A.F. & A.M.)	Clifford E. Miller, Box 1269, Fargo (58103)	Lloyd C. Dillon, Box 90, Thomasville	Haden M. Williams, 419 8th St., N. W., Minot
Ohio (F. & A.M.)	Andrew J. White, Jr., Box 208 Worthington (43085)	J. Giles Hudson, P.G.M., Box 1066, Salisbury	Frank R. Aiken, 330 Ridge St., Leetonia
Oklahoma (A.F. & A.M.)	J. Fred Latham, P.G.M., Masonic Temple, Guthrie (73044)	Earley W. Bridges, Box 1043, Greensboro	Ed T. Sabin, 1215 N. E. 36th St., Oklahoma City
Oregon (A.F. & A.M.)	W. Dexter Elliott, 1119 S.W. Park Ave., Mas. Temp., Portland (97205)	John B. Regan, St. Pauls	Julius D. Anderson, Wecoma
Pennsylvania (F. & A.M.)	Ashby B. Paul, Mas. Tem., Broad & Filbert Sts., Philadelphia 7 (19107)	Pennsylvania does NOT exchange Grand Representatives	
Rhode Island (F. & A.M.)	Sidney Capwell, 127 Dorrance St., Providence (02903)	Joseph D. Wallin, Box 846, Sylva	John D. Nelson, Providence
South Carolina (A.F.M.)	Henry F. Collins, P.G.M., Grand Lodge Bldg., 1401 Senate St., Columbia (29201)	James G. Johnston, P.G.M., 1500 Wachovia Bank Bldg., Charlotte 2	Clyde W. Stroman, R.F.D., Orangeburg
South Dakota (A.F. & A.M.)	John S. Rowe, P.G.M., Box 468, Sioux Falls (57101)	Moore D. Willoughby, Box 882, Wilson	Harold S. Bailey, 336 Eastern Ave. S., Brookings
Tennessee (F. & A.M.)	W. P. Douglas, P.G.M., Box 216, Nashville 1 (37202)	Charles C. Ricker, P.G.M., Mas. Temp., Asheville	C. Percy Swainson, Tellico Plains
Texas (A.F. & A.M.)	Harvey C. Byrd, Box 446, Waco, (76703)	Harvey W. Smith, P.G.M., Box 38, Beaufort	D. D. Tidwell, 1418 Brady Ave., Brownwood

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Utah (F. & A.M.) -----	Clarence M. Groshell, 650 E. South Temp., St., Salt Lake City 2 (84102) -----	William A. Hooks, Box 450, Smithfield -----	Frank B. Farnum, 1878 S. 16th St., Salt Lake City 5
Vermont (F. & A.M.) -----	Aaron H. Grout, P.G.M., Box 443, Burlington (05402) -----	Charles T. McClenaghan 119 E. Peace St., Raleigh -----	Arthur D. Tooï, Sr., Fairfax
Virginia (A.F. & A.M.) -----	Archer B. Gay, P.G.M., Mas. Temp., 107 Broad St., Richmond 20 (23220) -----	T. J. Harkins, P.G.M., Longchamp Apts., Macon Ave., Asheville -----	Charles M. Flintoff, Box 508, Suffolk
Washington (F. & A.M.) -----	Edward L. Bennett, Mas. Temp., Tacoma 3 (98402) -----	James W. Brewer, P.G.M., Box 411, Greenville -----	Llewellen S. Jordan Seattle
West Virginia (A.F. & A.M.) -----	Julian B. Hollingsworth, Box 2346, Charleston 28 (25328) -----	William L. Ramsey, Box 776, Fayetteville -----	Thomas R. Venters, 216 Birch St., Beckley
Wisconsin (F. & A.M.) -----	Ernest R. Hiegel, 1123 N. Astor St., Milwaukee 2 (53202) -----	T. Glen Miller, Jr., Box 41, Lenoir -----	Emory W. Krauthoefer, P.G.M., 3481 N. Summit Ave., Milwaukee 11
Wyoming (A.F. & A.M.) -----	Marcus R. Nichols, Box 459, Casper (82601) -----	Wyoming does NOT exchange Grand Representatives -----	

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Grand Lodge	Grand Secretary and His Address	THEIR Grand Representative Near Our Grand Lodge and His Address	OUR Grand Representative Near Their Grand Lodge and His Address
CANADA, DOMINION OF			
Alberta (A.F. & A.M.) -----	Edward H. Rivers, 330-12th Ave., S. W., Calgary -----	Joseph G. Miller, 214 Webb St., Statesville -----	R. T. Martins, 10832-60th Avenue, Edmonton
British Columbia -----	J. H. N. Morgan, P.G.M., Freemasons' Hall, 692 Seymour St., Vancouver 2 -----	Neill W. Freeman, Box 172, Biscoe -----	Newton P. Steacy, c/o B. C. House, 599 Market St., San Francisco 5, Cal.
Canada, In the Province of Ontario (A.F. & A.M.) -----	E. G. Dixon, Drawer 217 (363 King St. W.) Hamilton -----	Frederick H. Trethaway, 3314 Highview Road, Charlotte 9	A. C. Ashworth, c/o The Toronto-Do- minion Bank, 1 King St. W., Toronto 1
Manitoba (A.F. & A.M.) -----	Thomas C. Jackson, Masonic Temple, Donald and Ellice Sts., Winnipeg 2 -----	Leonard T. Barrington, Box 2041, New Bern -----	D. H. MacKay, 70 Cobourg Ave., Winnipeg 5
New Brunswick (F. & A.M.) -----	Albert C. Lemmon Box 430, Saint John -----	Thomas J. Mann, 1415 Wachovia Bank Bldg., Charlotte -----	Alfred Black Weldon
Nova Scotia (A.F. & A.M.) -----	Harold F. Sipprell, Box 214, Halifax -----	W. H. Andrews Jr., c/o Jefferson Standard Life Ins. Co., Greensboro	Harold G. McCormick, Annapolis Royal, Nova Scotia
Prince Edward Island -----	F. A. Vaniderstine, Box 337, Charlottetown -----	Charles D. Graham, Box 114, Enfield -----	Errol R. Stetson, O'Leary
Quebec (A.F. & A.M.) -----	J. McL. Marshall, P.G.M., Mas. Temp., 2295 St. Mark St., Montreal 25 -----	Arnold W. Kincaid, 921 Church St., Kings Mountain --	Gordon S. Wade, St. Armand
Saskatchewan (A.F. & A.M.) -----	T. M. Spencer, Box 246, Regina -----	Joseph C. Guffy, Box 55, Norwood -----	John E. Campbell, Regina
BRITISH ISLES (UNITED KINGDOM)			
England (United Grand Lodge of) -----	James W. Stubbs, Freemasons' Hall, Great Queen St., London, W.C. 2 -----	Robert L. Pugh, P.G.M., Box 987, New Bern -----	Frank W. R. Douglas, Hans House, Hans St., London
Ireland (A.F. & A.M.) -----	James O. Harle, Freemasons' Hall Molesworth St., Dublin, C.2 -----	Benjamin F. Gillikin, Box 888, New Bern -----	J. Stafford O'Neill, 30 Wandsworth Crescent, Belfast
Scotland (A.F. & A.M.) -----	Dr. Alex F. Buchan, Freemasons' Hall, 96 George St., Edinburgh 2 -----	Charles A. Harris, P.G.M., Grand Secretary, Box 6506, Raleigh ----	J. Lyndsay Orr, 55 Bath St., Glasgow

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AUSTRALASIA			
New South Wales..... (A.F. & A.M.)	James S. Miller, P.G.M., Masonic Hall 279-81 Castlereagh St., Sydney.....	Berl M. Kahn, Box 780, Goldsboro	V. J. Hunt
New Zealand (A.F. & A.M.)	Frederick G. Northern, Box 6439, Wellington, C.1	Edward P. Blair, c/o Vanceboro District Schools, Vanceboro	Frederick G. Northern, 20 Tasman Road, Otaki, N. Z.
Queensland (A.F. & A.M.) ..	Vivian I. Carter, Box 675, K. G. P. O., Brisbane	William J. Hall, Rt. 1, Box 135, Fayetteville	F. L. Bonney
South Australia..... (A.F. & A.M.)	F. J. Ellen, Freemasons' Hall, 254 North Terrace, Adelaide.....	Maurice E. Walsh 404 Colonial Dr., N. Wilkesboro.....	J. A. Robertson, Adelaide
Tasmania (A.F. & A.M.)	H. A. Wilkinson, Masonic Temple, 44 Harrington St., Hobart	Arnold J. Koonce, Sr., P. O. Box 1267, High Point.....	W. L. Bayes
Victoria (A.F. & A.M.)	C. W. Davis, Freemasons' Hall, 25 Collins St., Melbourne	Harrison Kaufman, Rt. 7, Box 173, Raleigh	H. R. Roberts
Western Australia	N. J. Munro, Box D177, G. P. O., Perth	T. Bruce Boyette, 1228 South Tarboro St., Wilson ..	David R. Cargill
CENTRAL AMERICA			
Costa Rica	Enrique Chaves B. Apartado Y, San Jose.....	Glenn F. Webb, 320 Main St., Laurinburg	A. Rudolph Sasso, Apartado 186, San Jose
Guatemala	Lauro A. Rivera, A.P. No. 34, Guatemala City, C. A.	William W. Mims, Jr., 5536 Seacroft Rd., Charlotte.....	S. Guillermo Ricci Fernandez, 16 Ave., No. 0-29, Guatemala City 11, C. A.
Honduras	W. B. Grand Sec. and Chancellor, Box 336, Tegucigalpa, D. C., Honduras ..	Cecil C. Winslow, Box 285, Hertford	J. Jose Waller, Tegucigalpa
Nicaragua	Greg A. Tapia, Box 102, Managua, Nicaragua, C.A.	Robert M. Bird, 609 Cedar St., Weldon.....	Federico Lopez, Managua
Panama (A.F. & A.M.)	Grand Secretary, Gr. Lodge of Panama Box 84, Panama City, Repub. of Panama	Edward P. Pugh, Laurel Springs	David C. Sasso, Box 143, Colon, R. P.

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Grand Lodge	Grand Secretary and His Address	THEIR Grand Representative Near Our Grand Lodge and His Address	OUR Grand Representative Near Their Grand Lodge and His Address
"Cuscatlan", Gran Logia,----- de la Republica El Salvador	Gran Logia "Cuscatlan", 8a. Avenida Sur No. 126, San Salvador, El Salvador, C. A.	Ben L. Watts, Box 171, Statesville -----	Frank Wager Goens, Box 177, Santa Ana, El Salvador, C.A.
MEXICO			
Baja California, Gran Logia----- de Estado de (A.F. & A.M.)	Apartado Postal 564, Gran Oriente de Mexicali, B. Cfa., Mexico-----	Joe G. Chaney, Wingate -----	
"Benito Juarez", Gran Logia----- del Estado de Coahuila	Apartado Postal 87, Torreon, Coahuila, Mexico -----	Willie J. Rogers, Box 329, Greenville -----	Arturo Escobedo Pina, Box 87, Torreon, Coah., Mex.
Chiapas Gran Logia Del----- Estado de	i/a. Calle Poniente No. 1, Tapachula, Chiapas, Mexico -----	Lloyd L. Woolley, Box 748, Southern Pines -----	Abelardo R. Velasco, Tapachula
El Potosi (San Luis Potosi)	Apartado Postal 104, San Luis Potosi, S.L.P., Mexico-----	Floyd M. Burton, Box 26, Spencer-----	
Nuevo Leon, Gran----- Logia Del Estado de	Apartado No. 309, Monterrey, Nuevo Leon, Mexico -----	Lawrence G. Jordan, North Center St., Apex -----	F. B. Vriarte, Monterrey, N. L. Mexico
"Occidental Mexicana"----- Gran Logia (A.F. & A.M.)	Apartado Postal No. 9, Guadalajara, Jalisco, Mexico -----	George W. Smith, Box 719, Greenville -----	Luis Mendez, Guadalajara, Jal., Mex.
"La Oriental Peninsular" Gr----- Logia Unida (A.F. & A.M.)	Apartado Postal No. 61, Merida, Yucatan, Mexico -----	P. E. G. Renninger, 512 Gales Ave., Winston-Salem -----	Manuel Amebilis
Tamaulipas (F. & A.M.) ----	Apartado Postal No. 419, Tampico, Tamaulipas, Mexico -----	James C. McNeil, Champion -----	Dr. Salvador Cerda, Jr., Tampico, Tam., Mex.
Veracruz, Grand Lodge Unida Mexicana of F. & A.M. of	Calle Benito Juarez #9, Apartado Postal 56, Veracruz, Ver., Mex.	Cecil W. Henderson, 20 No. 23rd St., Wilmington -----	Angel N. Rosas, Veracruz, Ver., Mex.
Valle de Mexico (F. & A.M.)	Apartado Postal No. 10, Grand Orient of Mexico, D. F. -----	Charles L. Polk, 2205 North Ocean Blvd., Myrtle Beach, South Carolina	Enrique P. Loya, Mexico City, Mex.
York Grand Lodge of----- Mexico (F. & A.M.)	Apartado 1986, Mexico 1, D. F., Mexico -----	J. T. Ingram, 330 South Mulberry St., Lenoir -----	Luis M. Trijo, Calle Morelos 58, Tequisquiapam, Mexico

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WEST INDIES			
Puerto Rico, Sov. Gr. Lodge of (F. & A.M.)	Juan L. Matos Cintron, P.O. Box 8385, Santurce, Puerto Rico	Reuben Barnitz, c/o Masonic Temple, Asheville	Rueben G. Pinkson, Box 1364, Cayey, P.R.
SOUTH AMERICA			
Argentina	Hector L. Andonogui, Cangallo 1242 (R. 128), Buenos Aires	Fred C. Kinzie, Box 155, Spindale	Juan Jose F. Palacios
Bolivia	Casilla Postal 564, La Paz, Bolivia	H. McNair Johnson, Box 35, Willard	Armando Centellas Telles
BRAZIL			
Amazonas and Acre	Box 162, Amazonas, Manaus, Brazil	Harold V. Fenstamacher, Rt. 3, Carbondon Rd., Sanford	Dr. Pedro Telmo Barba, Manaos
Bahia, Grande Loja Unida do	Rua Carlos Gomez 21, Salvador, Bahia, Brazil	J. Paul Kelly, Sparta	Joir Da Silva Martins Brasileiro Salvador, Bahia, Brazil
Ceara, Grand Loja Do	Caixa Postal 76, Fortaleza, Ceara, Brazil	J. Edward Rooker, Jr., Warrenton	Julio Landim
Minas Gerais, Symbolic Grand Lodge of	Postal 5, Belo Horizonte, Minas Gerais, Brazil	Edgar H. McBane, 515 N. Holden Rd., Greensboro	Dr. Hermano Lott, Jr., Belo Horizonte
Para, Grande Loja Do Para	Caixa Postal 333, Belem, Para, Brazil	Nathan P. Strause, Box 1119, Henderson	
Parahyba	Caixa Postal 3, Jaoca-Pessoa, Parahyba, Brazil	S. Lewis Powers, 507 N. Washing- ton St., Rutherfordton	Joao de Cinha Lima, Parahyba
Piaui, Grand Loja Do	Caixa Postal No. 10, Teresina, Piaui, Brazil	Cabell B. Jones, Box 1852, Durham	
Rio de Janeiro (Fed. Dist.)	Caixa Postal 2215, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil	Robert E. Yongue, Jr., Box 1615, Laurinburg	L. Bert Love

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Rio Grande do Sul -----	Caixa Postal 683, Porto Alegre, Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil	Fred F. Vance, 117 W. Mountain St., Kernersville -----	Samuel Herbert Jones, Caixa Postal 683 Porto Alegre, Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil
Sao Paulo, Grand Loja Do ----- Estado Do Sao Paulo	Caixa Postal 8348, Sao Paulo, Brazil -----	Tam L. Shumakar, Box 109, North Wilkesboro -----	Dr. Jayr Fortunato Celso de Almeida
Chile (A.F. & A.M.) -----	Casilla 2867, Santiago de Chile, Republic of Chile -----	L. L. Thomas, 2002 Lee Ave., Sanford -----	Dr. Luis Sandoval S., Calle Rosas No. 1388, Santiago, Chile
COLOMBIA (State Gr. Lodges)			
Barranquilla, Gran Logia ----- Nacional de Colombia at	Calle 66 No. 62-45, Barranquilla, Colombia -----	Moses L. Snipes, McCracken Heights, Sanford -----	Frank Welpley, Barranquilla, Colombia
Bogota, Gran Logia de ----- Colombia at	Apartado 2519, Bogota, Colombia -----	W. Reid Howe, Cramerton -----	Dr. Elian Pinzon Neira, Bogota, Colombia
Cali, Gran Logia Occidental ----- de Colombia at	Apartado Aereo 4020, Cali, Colombia -----	Dr. John R. Bender, 1166 South Hawthorne Rd., Winston-Salem --	Jorge Marulanda
Cartagena, Ser. Gran Logia ----- Nacional de Colombia at	Apartado Nacional No. 16, Cartagena, Colombia -----	Eldon S. Adams, 2124 Crescent Ave., Charlotte 7 --	Jose G. Cohen
Ecuador, Gran Logia ----- (A.F. & A.M.)	Apartado Postal 932, Guayaquil, Ecuador -----	Sinclair Tebo, 203 N. Broad St., Winston-Salem --	Ing. Boanerges Pin M., Box 932, Guayaquil, Ecuador
Paraguay, Symbolic Grand ----- Lodge of	Palma No. 417, Asuncion, Paraguay -----	Harry W. Pantan, Milwaukee -----	
Peru, Symbolic Gr. Lodge ----- A.F. & A.M. of	Apartado 587 Lima, Peru -----	Sam A. Hennis, Jr., P. O. Drawer 711, Mount Airy ----	Emilio Guerra Pejovez
Venezuela, Gran Logia de la ----- Republic of	Este 3 No. 5, Apartado 927, Caracas, Venezuela ----	Marshall E. Probst, 516 Rose Garden Terrace, Charlotte	

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EUROPE			
Austria (Vienna) -----	Dorotheergasse 12, Vienna I, Austria -----	Nelson B. Banks, Box 1350, New Bern -----	
Belgium, Grande Loge de -----	Clement Ceuppens, 265, Rue Royal, Brussels 33, Belgium -----	Haskell L. Nivens, 1918 Ewing Ave., Charlotte -----	Adrien DeBacker
Denmark, National Grand -----	Freemasons' Hall, 23 Blegdamsvej, Copenhagen -----	Nathan W. Humphrey, Box 313, Wrightsville Beach -----	Alfred Nyvang, Slotsalleen 9, Klampenborg, Copenhagen
Finland, F. & A.M. -----	Grand Lodge of Finland, Kasarmikatu 16D, Helsinki, 13 -----	James O. Thornton, Box 1423, Greensboro -----	Major Jaakke Savilahti, Lappeenranta
France (Grande Loge Nat'l -----	R. Brisson, 65 Boulevard Bineau, Neuilly-sur-Seine (Seine), France -----	Paul J. Story, Box 596, Marion -----	Paul Franck, 65 Boulevard Bineau, Neuilly-sur-Seine (Seine), France
Germany, United Grand -----	Friedrich Heller, 1 Berlin 37, Waltraudstrasse 22 -----	A. Bruce Lewis, 3410 Country Club Rd., Winston-Salem -----	Kurt Wahl Coburg
Greece (A.F. & A.M.) -----	A. G. Maratos, 39 Ypsilanton St., Athens 140 -----	Dr. Robert W. Caldwell, 4826 Dav- enport St., Washington 16, D.C. --	George G. Garantziotis, 28 K. Stavropoulou St., Athens 8
Iceland, National Grand -----	Grand Secretary, Box 44, Reykjavik, Iceland -----	Harvey L. Mulkey, Andrews -----	
Italy, Grand Orient of -----	Gr. Sec. For. Rel. Casella Postal 823, Milano, Italy -----	Louis P. Guigou, Drawer 14, Valdesa -----	Agostino Piccirillo, Naples
Luxembourg (Grande Loge -----	Leon Hamus, Case Postale 269, Luxembourg -----	Robert A. Whitfield, 311 Leasburg St., Roxboro -----	Bernard Fromes, 108 Ave. du 10 Septe Luxembourg
Netherlands, The Grand -----	Grand Secretary, Fluwelen Burgwal, 22, The Hague -----	Hubert M. Brown, 318 Holland St., Durham -----	G. Van Stolk, Jr., Rozenburglaan 60, Rotterdam
Norway, (Den Norske -----	Col. Rolf Nerem, Frimurerlogen, Store Landsloge) -----	Norwood P. Parker, Box 875, Clinton -----	Camillo Lurd Baltzersen, Baldersgate 15, Oslo
Sweden -----	Grand Secretary, Masonic Temple, Blasieholmsgatan 6, Stockholm -----	Dr. Charles P. Eldridge, 1621 St. Marys St., Raleigh -----	Ki H. Festin, Stockholm
Switzerland, Grand Lodge -----	Aufred Roseli Chauncery, ALPINA of Brunngasse 30, 3000 Berne -----	Clyde S. Chernault, 218 Hillcrest Drive, High Point -----	W. R. Grafenbag 5, 8404 Winterthur

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Grand Lodge	Grand Secretary and His Address	THEIR Grand Representative Near Our Grand Lodge and His Address	OUR Grand Representative Near Their Grand Lodge and His Address
ASIA			
China (F. & A.M.) -----	Lott H. T. Wei, Box 758, Taipei, Taiwan, Republic of China -----	Emett D. Chandler, 15 Bear Creek Rd., Asheville-----	Dawson Kwauk, Box 111 Taipei, Taiwan, R.P. of China
India (A.F. & A.M.) -----	P. M. Sundaram, Freemasons' Hall, Box 681, Janpath, New Delhi-1, India-----	Victor L. Riggsbee, 2201 Bucknell Ave., Charlotte 7 --	E. P. Bharucha, 6, Park Road, Lucknow
Israel, Grand Lodge of the----- State of (A.F. & A.M.)	J. Bar-ner Box 2080, Tel-Aviv, Israel-----	Louis W. Shrier, Box 451, Wilmington -----	John Levi
Japan (F. & A.M.) -----	Carl T. Nakamura, P.G.M., Mas. Bldg., No. 13-1, Shiba Sakae-cho, Minato-ku, Tokyo	James K. Davis, Box 1062, Wilmington -----	Kenneth Lewis Goodwin, Tokyo
Philippines (F. & A.M.) -----	Esteban Munariz, P.G.M., Plaridel Mas. Temp., 1440 San Marcelina, Manila ----	Bruce M. Boyers, Goldsboro -----	Desidero Hebron, Box 19, Olongapo, Zambales

LODGES UNDER THE JURISDICTION
OF
THE GRAND LODGE
OF
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NORTH CAROLINA

LODGES UNDER JURISDICTION OF THE GRAND LODGE OF NORTH CAROLINA WITH NAMES OF SECRETARIES AND MASTERS, AND THEIR POST OFFICE ADDRESSES.

The Masonic District In Which Lodges Are Situated Being Indicated By Numbers In Parentheses

NUMBER, NAME NO. DISTRICT	POST OFFICE	STATED COMMUNI- CATION	SECRETARY And ADDRESS	MASTER And ADDRESS
			Post Office Address of Officers Are Same As That Of Their Lodges, As Shown in Column Two, UNLESS Different Address Is Shown Here.	NO.
1 St. John's (10)-----	Wilmington-----	2 Tuesday-----	Louis W. Shrier, Box 653-----	Gilbert Postma, 110 Keaton Ave.-----1
2 Royal White Hart (20)-----	Halifax-----	1 Tuesday-----	William M. Mashburn, P. O. Box 185-----	Ray L. Strickland, Box 334-----2
3 St. John's (7)-----	New Bern-----	2&4 Wed., Oct-May 2 Wed., June-Sep-----	William C. Moore, Box 717-----	Claude L. Hughes, R-4, Box 273-----3
4 St. John's (6)-----	Kinston-----	2 and 4 Monday-----	Levin K. Jones, Box 1202-----	Glenn W. Blackburn, 407 Marcella Dr.-----4
5 Charity (2)-----	Windsor-----	1 and 3 Monday-----	Biver E. Grant, Box 306-----	Dalton R. White-----5
7 Unanimity (1)-----	Edenton-----	Every Thursday-----	W. P. Goodwin, 214 E. Eden St.-----	Clarence D. White, R-3, Box 258-----7
8 Phoenix (13)-----	Fayetteville-----	2 Friday-----	Johnnie B. Jones, Box 255-----	Carlton T. Adcock, 1306 Devonshire Dr.-----8
10 Johnston-Caswell (21)-----	Warrenton-----	1 and 3 Monday-----	W. Douglas Vaughan, Box 464-----	Alva D. Endecott, Route 1-----10
11 Caswell Bro'hood (30)-----	Yanceyville-----	1 and 3 Monday-----	Sheffield H. Abel, P. O. Box 234-----	William I. Reagan, Rt. 1, Ruffin-----11
13 St. John's (9)-----	Kenansville-----	1 and 3 Thursday-----	C. L. Nicholson, Box 145-----	Snodie B. Wilson, Route 1-----13
17 American George (19)-----	Murfreesboro-----	1 and 3 Monday-----	Albert E. Hill, 109 Spring Ave.-----	Calvin C. Pearce, 387 Franklin Drive-----17
19 Eagle (30)-----	Hillsborough-----	2 and 4 Friday-----	Grady A. Brown, Box 794-----	J. Frank Ray, Route 3-----19
27 Statesville (45)-----	Statesville-----	1 and 3 Tuesday-----	Ben L. Watts, Box 171-----	James C. Brown, Jr., 232 Hartness Rd.-----27
31 Phalanx (40)-----	Charlotte-----	1 Tuesday-----	Ben C. Maffitt, Jr., P. O. Box 2403-----	Louis A. Bledsoe, Jr., 915 Wachovia Bank Building-----31
32 Stokes (38)-----	Concord-----	1 Monday-----	E. W. Liverman, 103 Church St., N. E.-----	C. L. Barnhardt, Jr., 229 McGill Ave., N. W.-----32
39 Davie (2)-----	Lewiston-----	1 and 3 Thursday-----	Henry E. Bunch, P. O. Box 267-----	Cecil A. Parker-----39
40 Hiram (23)-----	Raleigh-----	1 and 3 Monday-----	J. W. Campbell, Box 11273-----	Ava C. Honeycutt, 617 St. George Rd.-----40
45 Liberty (48)-----	Wilkesboro-----	1 Thursday-----	Thomas E. Crysel, 1029 River Street-----	Robert L. Wood, Route 1-----45
53 Hall (1)-----	Shawboro, Star Rt.-----	1 Wednesday-----	William W. Forehand, Box 67, Shiloh-----	Gideon G. Kight, Old Trap-----53
56 King Solomon (19)-----	Jackson-----	1 Tuesday-----	Ballard S. Gay, P. O. Box 498-----	Marvin E. Coleman, Box 3-----56
58 Concord (18)-----	Tarboro-----	2 and 4 Tuesday-----	Robert E. Sheffield, Box 4-----	M. S. Brown, Jr., Box 399-----58
59 Perseverance (4)-----	Plymouth-----	Every Tuesday-----	George R. Leggett, Sr., P. O. Box 427-----	Fred B. Davenport, Mackeys-----59
64 Kilwinning (27)-----	Wadesboro-----	2 and 4 Thursday 2 Th. (Nov.-Dec.)-----	W. Calvin Gaddy, Box 388-----	Robert L. Cagle, Jr., 312 Camden Rd.-----64
75 Widow's Son (1)-----	Camden-----	2 and 4 Fri. 4 Fri. (Jun-Aug)-----	Richard K. Hollomon, 602 Cedar St., Elizabeth City-----	F. M. Burgess-----75
76 Greensboro (34)-----	Greensboro-----	2 and 4 Thursday-----	P. H. Norman, Jr., R-2, Box 81-----	J. Matthew Slaughter, Jr., R-1, Pine Needles Rd., Pleasant Gardens-----76
81 Zion (7)-----	Trenton-----	1 and 3 Thursday-----	Roy F. Collins, Route 1-----	Benjamin R. Harrison, Route 2-----81
83 LaFayette (8)-----	Jacksonville-----	1 and 3 Tuesday-----	Charles R. Keel, Sr., 1024 River Street-----	Walter E. Barkhouse, M. O. Q. 3252 Marine Corps Base, Camp Lejeune-----83
84 Fellowship (15)-----	Smithfield-----	1 and 3 Thursday-----	Lacy O. Thomas, 806 S. Second St.-----	John H. Keene, Box 385, Four Oaks-----84

85 Morning Star (18)	Nashville	2 and 4 Tuesday	Wilson L. Alsup, Box 499	Charles A. Boone, Box 42, Red Oak	85
90 Skewarkee (2)	Williamston	2 and 4 Tuesday	Julian H. Harrell, 215 Marshall Ave.	William M. Tetterton, Box 31	90
91 Western Star (52)	Rutherfordton	1 and 3 Tuesday	C. Francis Jones, Box 551	Horace C. Elliott, 313 Pine Street	91
92 Joseph Warren (17)	Stantonsburg	1 Thursday	G. Lee Best, P. O. Box 28	W. R. Owens, Rt. 1	92
95 Jerusalem (6)	Hookerton	2 Tuesday	Leroy B. Whittfield, Box 87	Peter C. Eure, Rt. 2, Snow Hill	95
97 Millbrook (23)	Millbrook	1 and 3 Tuesday	Geo. W. White, Rt. 1, Box 337, Raleigh	James D. Ferrell, 3203 New Hope Rd., Raleigh	97
98 Hiram (14)	Clinton	1 and 3 Tuesday	James L. Herring, Box 705	Oscar V. Clarke, 400 East Rowan St.	98
99 Fulton (37)	Salisbury	1 and 3 Friday	T. W. Summersett, Jr., P. O. Box 547	Raymond B. Coggins, 1413 S. Main St.	99
102 Columbus (25)	Pittsboro	1 Tuesday	John W. Drake, P. O. Box 368	J. Clyde McCallum	102
104 Orr (4)	Washington	1 and 3 Tuesday	George W. Farmer, P. O. Box 296	Webster Sullivan, 603 E. Fourth St.	104
106 Perquimans (1)	Hertford	Every Tuesday	Cecil E. Winslow, P. O. Box 285	Redmond R. Perry, Jr., Rt. 3	106
109 Franklin (50)	Beaufort	1 and 3 Monday	E. Wilfred Downum, 417-419 Front St.	C. Odell Merrill, 1516 Front St.	109
112 Wayne (16)	Goldsboro	1 and 3 Monday	Herbert B. Edgerton, Box 356	Claiborne L. Pate, 907 Rudolph St.	112
113 Person (32)	Roxboro	2 and 4 Tuesday	William B. Hicks, Route 1	Charles W. Boyette, Rt. 2 Hurdle Mills	113
114 St. Alban's (12)	Lumberton	1 Tuesday	Archie B. Stalvey, P. O. Box 904	Henry P. Stone, 2001 Shaw Ave.	114
115 Holly Springs (24)	Holly Springs	2 and 4 Tuesday	M. Jack Stephens, P. O. Box 123	James C. Adams, Box 201	115
117 Mount Lebanon (17)	Wilson	1 and 3 Monday	W. Gardner Ashe, Box 1085	Wm. F. Peabody, 1104 W. Nash St.	117
118 Mount Hermon (54)	Asheville	1 Thursday	T. M. Mason, Mas. Tem., 80 Broadway	Horace B. Self, 65 Appian Way, Arden	118
122 Oxford (32)	Oxford	1 and 3 Monday	Eli T. Regan, Oxford Orphanage	Allen G. Colenda, Oxford Orphanage	122
123 Franklinton (21)	Franklinton	1 and 3 Tuesday	William H. Cyrus, 3 East Mason St.	E. L. Conyers, Route 1	123
125 Mill Creek (14)	Newton Grove	1 and 3 Thursday	David O. Bryan, Jr., P. O. Box 176	Melvin E. Thornton, Rt. 3, Mt. Olive	125
126 Gatesville (1)	Gatesville	1 and 3 Thursday	Harry L. Ward	Ernest B. Hudgins, Hobbsville	126
127 Blackmer (28)	Mount Gilead	1 and 3 Tuesday	James B. Dunlap, P. O. Box 222	Jenny T. Halthcock, Box 95	127
128 Hanks (29)	Franklinville	2 Monday	H. A. Saunders, Box 136	Jerold L. Grazier, Box 22	128
129 Dan River (33)	Madison	1 and 3 Monday	C. Harold Knight, Stoneville	John T. Duggins, Jr., R-3, Shady Lane	129
132 Radlance (6)	Snow Hill	1 and 3 Friday	James H. Heath, 412 S. E. Third Street	James P. Wooten, Route 2	132
134 Mocksville (46)	Mocksville	1 and 3 Friday	Charles S. Anderson, 509 Wilkesboro St	C. C. Craven, Box 544	134
136 Leaksville (33)	Leaksville	1 and 3 Monday	James D. Richardson, R-1, Box 168	Charles J. Nooe, Box 683	136
137 Lincoln (41)	Lincolnton	1 Monday	James H. Ross, Box 35	Vance W. Moss, Route 1	137
138 King Solomon (10)	Burgaw	3 Monday	Carlton L. Sligh, Box 365	Hugh M. Atkinson, Currie	138
143 Mount Vernon (25)	Bonlee	2 Sat. and 4 Fri.	Albert W. Davis, Box 22	Calvin A. Simmons, Rt. 2, Siler City	143
145 Junaluskee (57)	Franklin	1 and 3 Tuesday	John G. Murray, 2 Georgia Rd.	George Barrett, 18 Baird Cove Rd.	145
146 Cherokee (58)	Murphy	3 Saturday	Willard R. Hembree, R-1, Box 152B	James C. Helton, Box 473	146
147 Palmyra (13)	Dunn	1 Tuesday	Nicholas A. Joseph, 510 Erwin Rd.	Paul L. Strickland, Jr., Box 349	147
149 Adoniram (32)	Cornwall*	1 Tuesday	Robert K. Hyler, Jr., Box 128, Bullock	Ben J. Neal, Rt. 2, Virgilina, Virginia	149
150 Pee Dee (28)	Norwood	1 and 3 Thursday	Jeter L. Lee, Sr., Box 485	Luther J. Laton, Box 153	150
151 Sanford (25)	Sanford	2 and 4 Tuesday	William B. Burroughs, P. O. Box 583	Basil H. Byerly, Box 11	151
154 Scotch Ireland (37)	Cleveland	2 and 4 Tuesday	Fred F. Campbell, Box 13	Robert O. Dillon, Route 1	154
155 White Stone (22)	Wakefield*	4 Sat. Noon and 2 Wednesday	William C. Farrington, Rt. 4, Zebulon	Billy K. Tucker, Rt. 4, Zebulon	155
158 Knap of Reeds (31)	Sahama	1 and 3 Wednesday	Donald B. Tillie, Box 43	John H. Crabtree, Box 75	158
162 Yadkin (46)	Yadkinville	1 and 3 Monday	Grady M. Mackie, Box 155	Howard W. Hutchens	162
165 Archer (15)	Clayton, RFD	1 Sat. and 3 Mon.	Charles Congleton, Route 1, Wendell	Curtis E. Hinton, Rt. 1, Zebulon	165

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167	Winston (35)	Winston-Salem	2 Monday	Jack F. May, Box 1221	William J. Gaultney, Box 1221	167
170	Blackmer (53)	Weaverville	1 Tuesday	Leo P. Meadows, Box 382	Michael Allen, 257 Montford Ave., Asheville	170
171	Colerain (2)	Colerain	1 and 3 Thursday	Rondle W. Northcott, 908 Pembroke Ave., Ahoskie	U. S. Hassell, Merry Hill	171
172	Buffalo (25)	Sanford	1 and 3 Monday	James C. Gaines, 322 Hickory Ave.	Thos. D. Hobson, R-3, Wicker St. Ext.	172
174	Geo. Washington (24)	Apex, Rt. 1	1 Tuesday	Trubie D. Thrailkill, Route 2	James C. Horton, Route 3	174
176	Mecklenburg (39)	Davidson	1 and 3 Tuesday	Walter S. Henderson, P. O. Box 253	Robert H. Mills, Box 583	176
181	Carthage (25)	Carthage	1 and 3 Tuesday	W. B. Davis, Box 395	George K. Suggs	181
187	Central Cross (18)	Spring Hope, Rt. 2	1 and 3 Thursday	J. Onnie Bowden, Route 2	Warren G. Brantley	187
188	Balfour (29)	Asheboro	1 and 3 Monday			
			3 Mon., Jul., Aug.	Fred Lane, Box 1005	Erwin E. Sykes, Rt. 2, Randleman	188
190	Fair Bluff (11)	Fair Bluff	2 Thursday	Wilton A. Thigpen, Box 493	Wiley A. Bracey	190
191	Granite (15)	Clayton	2 and 4 Tuesday	Joseph B. McAdams, Jr., Box 324	Herman E. Jones, 216 O'Hara St.	191
198	Cary (23)	Cary	1 and 3 Monday	Robert G. Setzer, Box 163	David F. Dills, Box 302	198
202	Cleveland (43)	Shelby	1 Friday	Russell G. Laughridge, Box 247	Samuel M. Sain, 510 Franklin Avenue	202
203	Roanoke (20)	Weldon	2 Monday	U. Bixby Pierce, 807 Maple Street	William G. Rountree, Rt. 2, Littleton	203
205	Long Creek (39)	Huntersville	2 Monday	Robert F. Blythe, R-9, Box 411-B, Charlotte	Robert Q. Harpe, 128 McClure Circle, Charlotte	205
206	Mingo (14)	Dunn, RFD	1 Monday	Nelson W. Newton, Route 2	James W. Jackson, Route 1	206
207	Lebanon (11)	Whiteville	1 Tuesday	Oscar Hattaway, 320 W. College Street	William A. Mahoney, R-3, Box 108	207
208	Mount Olive (16)	Mount Olive	1 and 3 Tuesday	Paul R. Patten, 109 N. Breazeale Ave.	Otto C. Rivenbark, Route 2	208
210	Eno (31)	Durham	1 and 3 Tuesday	Louis M. Bryan, 3416 S. Alston Ave.	Dale J. Park, Box 8125	210
214	Thomasville (36)	Thomasville	1 and 3 Friday	Thomas M. Honeycutt, Box 904	W. Hugh Chisholm, R-3, Box 315-A	214
217	Catawba Valley (44)	Morganton	2 Thursday	Edward M. Hairfield, Box 793	Billy J. Hamrick, 106 Oak St.	217
218	William G. Hill (23)	Raleigh	2 and 4 Monday	Dewey C. Crutchfield, Jr., Box 17421	W. Richard Mabrey, Athens Drive	218
226	Wilson (45)	Olin	2 and 4 Saturday	D. E. White, Sr., Rt. 2, Box 95, Statesville	Rex C. Weisner, Route 1	226
229	Henderson (21)	Henderson	1 and 3 Tuesday	Charles E. Crawley, P. O. Box 709	Jim R. Overton, 1028 Dabney Drive	229
230	Corinthian (18)	Rocky Mount	2 and 4 Thursday	Daniel E. Pitt, 1412 Eastern Ave.	Percy F. O'Keef, Jr., 201 S. Howell St.	230
231	William T. Bain (23)	Raleigh, Rt. 3	1 Wednesday	Charles R. Rogers, RFD 3	Robert H. McElveen, Route 3	231
233	Lenoir (6)	La Grange	1 and 3 Thursday	Clifton R. Sutton, Jr., Rt. 3, Box 256	William P. Sutton, R-3, Box 258	233
237	Mystic Tie (52)	Marion	1 and 3 Friday	William K. Turner, Rt. 1, Box 406D	William R. Buchanan, Box 324	237
240	Wiccacon (2)	Harrellsville	2 and 4 Thursday	James E. Cotton, Rt. 1, Cofield	Wm. B. Norvelle, Star Rt., Colerain	240
243	Grifton (5)	Grifton	1 and 3 Wednesday	Joseph W. Gilbert, Route 2, Box 104	Milford C. Batten, Route 2	243
244	Monroe (27)	Monroe	1 and 3 Thursday	Alfred H. Rush, Box 207	Jerry R. Helms, Route 8	244
248	Catawba (44)	Newton	2 and 4 Tuesday	Leslie R. Brady, Sr., Box 62	Kermit W. Gilbert, Route 2	248
249	Pythagoras (10)	Southport	3 Tuesday	J. R. Hood, Sr., 317 N. Clarendon Ave.	Preston L. Bryant, 211 N. Caswell Ave.	249
253	Lee (45)	Taylorsville	2 and 4 Monday	Walter W. Harrington, Box 424	Paul P. Jenkins	253

257 Kenly (15)	Kenly	1 and 3 Tuesday	H. Elwin Watson, P. O. Box 97	Fonzo R. Wallace, Route 2	257
258 Fuquay (24)	Fuquay-Varina	1 and 3 Tuesday	Larry Stephenson, 646 Aiken Pkwy.	Lacy W. Walters, 307 Woodland Dr.	258
259 Waynesville (56)	Waynesville	1 Friday	Robt. C. Graybeal, Box 173, Hazelwood	Ray Norris, 516 Balsam Rd., Hazelw'd	259
261 Excelsior (40)	Charlotte	1 Monday	J. N. Tucker, 2440 Sugar Mill Rd.	Hubert M. Thomason, 3015 Sunset Dr.	261
262 Hibriten (44)	Lenoir	1 Thursday	Roger H. Robbins, P. O. Box 166	D. R. Icenhour, Jr., 502 Kentwood Cir.	262
263 Gaston (42)	Dallas	2 Monday	Clyde Dalton Stowe, Jr., Box 721	Joe H. Brown, 211 East Trade St.	263
265 Farmington (46)	Farmington	2 Friday	John C. Hartman, Rt. 2, Mocksville	H. Norman Blake, Rt. 1, Advance	265
267 Dunn's Rock (55)	Brevard	2 and 4 Thursday	Henry R. Henderson, Box 563	Thomas E. Payne, Jr., 228 Grove St.	267
271 Tabasco (30)	Gibsonville	1 and 3 Tuesday	William C. Needham, P. O. Box 878	Sandy Greene, Route 2, Liberty	271
272 Bingham (30)	Mebane	1 and 3 Monday	Paul L. Coleman, 601 Wilba Rd.	Glenn A. Moon, 616 North Carr St.	272
276 Beaver Dam (27)	Marshville	2 Tuesday	Henry C. Haney, Route 3	William E. Parker, Rt. 1, Wingate	276
277 Green Level (24)	Apex, Rt. 3	1 Saturday	J. C. Scott, Jr., Rt. 2, Box 57A	Joseph O. Maynard, Jr., Knightdale	277
279 Rehoboth (9)	Rosehill	2 and 4 Monday	Noland R. Mattocks, Box 527	James P. Smith, Magnolia	279
282 Wake Forest (22)	Wake Forest	2 and 4 Tuesday		Robert C. Dickerson,	
		4 Tues., Dec.	Horace L. Macon, 434 S. White St.	R-2, Box 90, Lillington	282
283 Eureka (37)	China Grove	1 and 3 Monday	Robert J. Davis, 404 Chapel Street	L. D. Gray, Jr.,	
				408 E. Blume St., Landis	283
284 Greenville (5)	Greenville	1 and 3 Monday	Edward D. Austin, Box 349	Richard W. King, 201 Eastern St.	284
289 Salem (35)	Winston-Salem	1 Tuesday	William J. Crews, Box 1917	Roy G. Vernon, 5301 Sunrise Terrace	289
292 French Broad (53)	Marshall	1 Monday	Ralph T. Barnes, Box 215	William C. Plemmons, Box 172	292
293 Vance (53)	Stockville	2 Saturday	Fred B. Jarvis, Box 231, Weaverville	E. D. Hipps, 18 Chatham Rd., Asheville	293
294 Atlantic (4)	Swanquarter	1 and 3 Thursday	Joseph C. Williams, Jr., Box 244	Roger Swindell, Route 1	294
296 Stonewall (5)	Robersonville	1 and 3 Monday	Leonard R. Andrews, Box 504	Rufus E. Taylor, Box 44	296
299 Harmony (45)	Harmony	2 and 4 Monday	T. W. Keller, Route 1, Hamptonville	R. F. Gregory, Jr.	299
300 Aurora (4)	Aurora	2 and 4 Monday	Charles A. Litchfield, Box 248	Rumley G. Gillikin, Route 1	300
301 Clay (58)	Hayesville	2 Saturday	J. Guy Padgett, 201 Riverside Ave.	Jerald F. Phillips	301
302 Lillington (13)	Lillington	2 and 4 Monday	Chester A. Brown, Box 605	John W. Darroch, Jr., Route 3	302
304 Pleasant Hill (6)	Pink Hill	2 and 4 Thursday	Clifton R. Parrish, Rt. 1, Deep Run	Wm. A. Byrd, Jr., Rt. 1, Deep Run	304
305 Laurinburg (26)	Laurinburg	1 Tuesday	Robert E. Yongue, Jr., Box 1615	Thurman C. Trawick, Box K-29	305
306 Raeford (26)	Raeford	2 and 4 Tuesday	Paul B. Livingston, Box 523	Bobby M. McBryde, 222 Wright St.	306
314 New Lebanon (1)	South Mills	1 Friday	Robert F. Spence		
			Rt. 3, Box 464, Elizabeth City	Will E. Trotman, Route 1	314
317 Eureka (1)	Elizabeth City	Every Tuesday			
		1 Tues., June-Aug.	Wilbourne M. Smith, P. O. Box 386	Francis A. Rowe, 921 Woodruff Ave.	317
319 Wilmington (10)	Wilmington	1 Tuesday	Haywood S. King, 114 S. Fifth Ave.	E. C. Godwin, 4809 Wrightsville Ave.	319
320 Selma (15)	Selma	1 and 3 Tuesday	Raleigh H. Griffin, P. O. Box 183	J. R. Stallings, Box 142, Selma	320
322 Granite (47)	Mount Airy	3 Tuesday	Foy Clark, Box 1102	Elbert E. Williams, 910 Lakeview Dr.	322
328 Mattamuskeet (3)	Engelhard	2 and 4 Wednesday	Cecil R. Silverthorne, R.D., Box 54	Thomas J. Etheridge, Jr., Box 63	328
331 Bayboro (7)	Bayboro	1 and 3 Tuesday	G. T. Tyndall, Box 9, Stonewall	John Fridgen, Hobucken	331
339 Fairview (43)	Kings Mountain	2 Monday	Thomas D. Tindall, Box 1	Bobby C. Bridges, R-3, Box 363	339
340 Harmony (16)	Pikeville	2 and 4 Thursday	Claude S. Hinnant, Rt. 2, Box 359	Andrew I. Rowe, Route 2	340
343 Hickory (44)	Hickory	1 and 3 Monday			
		June 24, Dec. 27	Elmer L. Broyles, Box 451	John N. Grubbs, 785 8th Avenue Dr.	343
344 Numa F. Reid (36)	High Point	2 Monday	E. G. Updegrove, Box 749	E. Cone Spencer, Route 2, Trinity	344

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348 Stanly (28)-----	Albemarle-----	1 and 3 Friday-----	L. Roy Whitley, P. O. Box 773-----	Johnny B. Davis, R-1, Box 138-----348
352 Durham (31)-----	Durham-----	2 and 4 Tuesday----- 2 Tues., in Dec.-----	Marvin H. Dawson, Box 1649-----	Joe A. Letzing, 1413 North Duke St.-----352
356 Fallston (43)-----	Fallston-----	2 Monday-----	B. Bernard Elliott, Box 298-----	Fred P. Smith, Route 3, Lawndale-----356
357 Bakersville (51)-----	Bakersville-----	1 and 3 Thursday-----	George W. Conrad, P. O. Box 67-----	Carrick N. Shuffler, Route 2-----357
358 East LaPorte (57)-----	East LaPorte-----	2 and 4 Saturday-----	A. E. Brown, Tuckasegee-----	Elmer H. Nicholson, Tuckasegee-----358
359 Mount Vernon (7)-----	Oriental-----	1 and 3 Fri.-----	Vaughn T. Hill, Sr., Rt. 1, Box 178-----	Lorenza D. Spruill-----359
363 Snow (49)-----	Boone-----	1 and 3 Monday-----	I. W. Carpenter, Jr., 103 Reynolds Rd-----	Eddie P. Norris, Route 1, Vilas-----363
369 Gastonia (42)-----	Gastonia-----	2 Friday-----	Albert R. Rankin, Box 326-----	James W. Pryor, 1136 Scotch Drive-----369
373 Ashler (49)-----	Deep Gap-----	2 Friday-----	R. L. White, 1704 E. King St., Boone-----	William E. Greene, Route 1-----373
374 Campbell (45)-----	Troutman-----	2 and 4 Thursday-----	T. R. Templeton, Jr., Rt. 7, Statesv'e-----	Harold R. Arthurs, Route 1-----374
375 State Line (43)-----	Grover-----	2 Tuesday-----	Robert E. Hambright, Jr., Box H-----	Herman H. Weaver, Route 2, Shelby-----375
377 Youngsville (21)-----	Youngsville-----	1 and 3 Thursday-----	Dewarner E. Duke, Route 1-----	Stephan Wiggins, Route 1, Louisburg-----377
378 Seaboard (19)-----	Seaboard-----	1 Monday-----	Lester S. Ford, Jr., Box 338-----	Cecil E. Whitehead-----378
379 Coharie (14)-----	Salemburg-----	2 and 4 Thursday-----	Dorman L. McLamb, Route 1-----	Lester F. Holland, Box 213-----379
380 Granville (32)-----	Wake Forest Rt. 3-----	4 Saturday-----	Edwin B. Davis, Rt. 3-----	W. D. Bailey, Route 3-----380
381 Forest City (52)-----	Forest City-----	2 and 4 Tuesday-----	Norman W. Yelton, Box 615-----	Roger D. Cole, 204 Dalehurst Dr.-----381
384 Jefferson Penn (33)-----	Reidsville-----	1 and 3 Tuesday-----	Guy M. McWhorter, 401 Wentworth St.-----	Clarence H. Jones, 1203 Northrup-----384
386 Pigeon River (56)-----	Canton-----	2 Thursday-----	Clarence W. Burrell, Box 942-----	Edward W. Bell, Box 229-----386
387 Kedron (55)-----	Hendersonville-----	2 and 4 Thursday-----	Daniel B. Hart, Box 2387-----	James Hall, Jr., 1928 Brevard Rd.-----387
388 Mooresboro (43)-----	Mooresboro-----	2 Friday-----	M. M. Packard, Rt. 4, Box 334, Shelby-----	Robert W. Forbes, Route 1-----388
390 Copeland (47)-----	Copeland *-----	2 Thursday, Dec. 27-----	Thelmore C. Alberty, Dobson-----	S. J. Young, Rt. 7, Box 125, Mt. Airy-----390
391 Lebanon (13)-----	Hope Mills-----	1 and 3 Thursday-----	Duffie E. Turlington, R-3, Box 323, Fayetteville-----	Daniel C. Nobles, 2706 Upchurch St., Fayetteville-----391
393 Tally Ho (32)-----	Stem-----	1 and 3 Tuesday-----	James W. Satterwhite, Rt. 2, Oxford-----	Oscar B. Haskins, Rt. 1, Creedmoor-----393
395 Orient (10)-----	Wilmington-----	1 Thursday-----	Cecil W. Henderson, 20 N. 23rd St.-----	Thomas J. Cook, Jr., 1007 S Kerr Ave.-----395
397 Bald Creek (53)-----	Swiss-----	3 Saturday-----	Willard K. Buckner, Rt. 3, Mars Hill-----	James B. Robinson, Rt. 2, Mars Hill-----397
401 Joppa (52)-----	Old Fort-----	2 and 4 Friday-----	J. B. Tate, Box 65-----	William A. Wiseman, Box 848, Marion-----401
403 Siler City (25)-----	Siler City-----	1 and 3 Thursday-----	Billy D. Brady, 810 W. 5th St.-----	J. Roy Coltrane, Route 4-----403
404 Denton (38)-----	Denton-----	1 and 3 Friday-----	Charles R. Johnson, Box 673-----	William G. Barnes, Box 52-----404
405 Ocean (50)-----	Morehead City-----	2 and 4 Tuesday-----	James I. Wade, Box 576-----	Ronal E. Willis, 1411 Arendell St.-----405
407 No. Wilkesboro (48)-----	North Wilkesboro-----	2 Monday-----	Robert A. Birkhead, Box 1005-----	Howard D. Phillips, Finley Park-----407
408 University (31)-----	Chapel Hill-----	1 and 3 Monday-----	S. W. Wilburn, Box 952-----	James D. Johnson, 17 S Circle Dr.-----408
409 Bula (30)-----	Burlington-----	2 and 4 Monday----- 2 Mon., in Dec.-----	William N. Stansell, 232 Highland Ave.-----	Howard B. Boyd, 233 Lee Dr.-----409
411 Bailey (17)-----	Bailey-----	2 and 4 Monday-----	John W. Tuck, Route 1-----	Hoyt B. Nichols, Route 1, Sims-----411
412 Henry F. Grainger (32)-----	Oxford, Rt. 5-----	2 Saturday-----	Otis L. Harrison, Rt. 5, Box 52-----	William Bartholomew, R-5-----412
413 Louisburg (21)-----	Louisburg-----	2 and 4 Tuesday-----	James A. Johnson, Rt. 1, Box 175K-----	Hal B. Perry, Jr., R-4, Box 40-----413
417 Maxton (12)-----	Maxton-----	1 Monday-----	Paul S. Steed, Jr., Route 1-----	Chalmers C. Morrison, Box 357-----417

418 Potecasi (19)	Potecasi	1 and 3 Thursday June 24, Dec. 27	Harry W. Panton, Box 478, Milwaukee	Charlie A. Panton, Box 42, Milwaukee
420 Harmon (46)	Yadkinville, Rt. 3	1 and 3 Saturday	James B. Rutledge, Rt. 5, Mocksville	B. W. Trivette, R-5, Box 393, Mocksville
423 Sparta (49)	Sparta	1 and 3 Thursday	Isom W. Wagoner, P. O. Box 234	J. Page Evans, Route 2
426 Montgomery (58)	Ranger	2 Saturday	W. H. Stiles, R-4, Box 61, Murphy	E. H. Boring, Rt. 1, Turtletown, Tenn.
427 Oconee (57)	Bryson City	1 and 3 Monday	Clyde T. Bates, Box 666	J. Hoyatt Davis, Whittier
428 Stokesdale (34)	Stokesdale	1 and 3 Tuesday	Elmer V. Wood, Jr.	William N. Jones, Route 2
429 Seaside (8)	Swansboro	2 and 4 Monday	Rudolph Henderson, Rt. 1, Hubert	David F. Strole, R-1, Box 280
431 Relief (15)	Benson	2 and 4 Tuesday	Gwendell D. Knox, 403 W. Morgan St.	Joseph E. Norris, 125 E. Main St.
432 Piney Creek (49)	Piney Creek	2 and 4 Friday	Fletcher H. Spry, Sparta	Ronald E. Wiles
433 Vanceboro (7)	Vanceboro	2 and 4 Wednesday	Dannie M. Whitford, Rt. 2, Box 91	Ralph C. Hill
434 West Bend (46)	Lewisville	1 and 3 Friday	C. M. Lasley, Rt. 1	Paul K. McBride, Rt. 8, W. Salem
435 Blue Ridge (57)	Highlands	1 and 3 Friday	Walter M. Wilson, Route 2	Henry A. Cleaveland, Box 151
437 Biscoe (28)	Biscoe	2 and last Friday	Neill W. Freeman, Box 172	Francis W. McCallum, Candor
439 Marble Springs (58)	Marble	1 Saturday	J. Vernon Bryson, Box 255	Ronald H. Hurt, Box 127, Murphy
444 Marietta (29)	Ramseur	2 Friday	David M. Webb, Rt. 2, Box 259	James R. Macon, Rt. 1, Seagrove
446 Biltmore (54)	Asheville	Every Tuesday	Cecil E. Greene, 15 Ardmore St.	Alan A. Taylor, Box 208, Arden
447 Enfield (20)	Enfield	1 and 3 Monday	Jesse W. Harris	Joseph D. Hines, Box 158
453 Clyde (56)	Clyde	2 Tuesday	Jon R. Morgan, Box 304	George I. Miller
454 Elkin (47)	Elkin	2 and 4 Tuesday	Ransome E. Smith, Box 477	Arthur D. Harmon, R-1, Box 301
459 Dillsboro (57)	Sylva	1 and 3 Thursday	James E. Buckner, P. O. Box 396	Willis B. Wellmon, Jr., Box 59
460 Cliffsides (52)	Cliffsides	2 and 4 Monday	John T. Moore, Box 184, Henrietta	Z. Frank Elmore, Route 1, Mooresboro
461 Matthews (39)	Matthews	2 and 4 Thursday	James W. Russell, Box 234	Myron L. Pigg, 637 Harwyn Drive, Charlotte
462 South Fork (41)	Cramerton	2 and 4 Tuesday 2 Tues., June-Aug.	Hazel B. Rabb, 231 Dawson Street	Edward J. McManus, Rt. 3, Gastonia
463 Currituck (1)	Coinjock	2 Monday	B. L. Williams, Box 121, Powells Pt.	Ernest J. Brickhouse, Poplar Branch
471 Grassy Knob (45)	Union Grove	4 Friday	D. R. Millsaps, Rt. 2, Box 16, Statesville	Calvin N. Souther, Cycle
472 Sonoma (56)	Canton, Rt. 2	1 Thursday	Harley V. Mann, Jr., Route 2, Box 230	John B. Henson, Route 2
473 Lexington (36)	Lexington	2 and 4 Thursday	W. H. Fulbright, 104 Willowbrook Cir.	Frederick T. Bickel, 608 Hilltop Dr.
474 St. Pauls (12)	St. Pauls	1 Tuesday	A. H. Jackson	John R. Walker, Box 53
475 Grimesland (5)	Grimesland	1 Tuesday	George C. Elks, Box 6	James A. Holt, Route 3, Greenville
479 Rainbow (7)	Arapahoe	2 and 4 Monday	Benjamin F. Lamm	George R. Harper, Jr.
482 Saluda (55)	Saluda	1 and 3 Thursday	John T. Coates, Jr., Box 97	Robert V. Thompson, Jr., 318 Stepp Ave., Hendersonville
483 Traphill (48)	Traphill	1 and 3 Tuesday	John W. Bryan, Jr.	Fred R. Holbrook, R-1, Box 17
484 Southern Pines (28)	Southern Pines	1 and 3 Monday	Jack L. McNeil, Box 1241	Garland P. Daughtry, Box 784
486 Lawndale (43)	Lawndale	2 Friday	Thomas B. Ford, Jr., Box 338	William F. Sweezy
488 Rich Square (19)	Rich Square	2 and 4 Thursday	Roy T. Joyner, Eagletown Road	William B. Ivey, Jackson St.
489 Linville (51)	Newland	2 and 4 Thursday	Charles B. Buchanan, Box 455	Harold L. Henson, Box 375, Crossnore
491 Hominy (54)	Candler	2 Tuesday	Frank F. Davidson, Sr., R-4, Box 369	J. Perry Self, Rt. 3, Box 497
492 Thomas M. Holt (30)	Graham	1 and 3 Thursday	Charles A. Cates, 523 E. Parker St.	John F. Fricks, Jr., Box 5
493 Pilot (47)	Pilot Mountain	2 Monday	C. E. Parker, Rt. 2, Box 109, Westfield	Akers Hall, Box 561
495 Rockingham (26)	Rockingham	1 and 3 Monday	D. W. Coleman, 225 E. Washington St.	James R. McLester, Box 357

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496 Mooresville (45)	Mooresville	2 and 4 Tuesday	Paul E. Cook, 521 E. Iredell Ave.	William E. Green, 50 McNeely Ave. 496
497 Royal Hart (20)	Littleton	2 and 4 Monday	Tyree J. Callihan, Box 72	Macon D. Reid, Box 265 497
498 Ayden (5)	Ayden	3 Tuesday	W. B. Phillips, P. O. Box 212	Billie P. McLawhorn, 422 E. 2nd St. 498
499 Creedmoor (32)	Creedmoor	2 and 4 Monday	Robert C. Sandling, Jr., Rt. 1, Box 202, Wake Forest	Ben W. Bullock, 3138 Dixon Road, Durham 499
500 Raleigh (23)	Raleigh	3 Tuesday	Frederick G. Speidel, Box 6323	Holly R. Britt, 2705 St. Mary's St. 500
501 Red Springs (12)	Red Springs	2 and 4 Thursday	Claude P. McGirt, Jr., 215 N. Edinborough St.	Galen D. Harris, 402 McMillan Ave. 501
502 Cookville (44)	Near Henry*	1 Tuesday	H. V. Huffman, Rt. 1, Box 273, Hickory	Ralph Z. Young, Rt. 3, Vale 502
505 Cherryville (42)	Cherryville	1 Monday	Hoke Shuford, Box 633	Walter Baker, Delview Road 505
509 Belhaven (4)	Belhaven	2 and 4 Tuesday	G. A. Thomas, 211 Edward Street	Walter A. Credle, Scranton 509
515 Whetstone (42)	Bessemer City	4 Tuesday	James M. Todd, Box 321	Martin L. Ramsey, Route 2 515
516 Aulander (2)	Aulander	1 and 3 Thursday	C. W. White, Jr., Route 1	T. H. Griffith, Box 81 516
517 Farmville (5)	Farmville	2 and 4 Thursday	John E. King, Box 253	Bennie D. Brown, 105 N Barrett 517
519 Widow's Son (20)	Roanoke Rapids	2 and 4 Thursday	James L. Fanney, Box 501	Alfred S. Harris, 1306 Johnston St. 519
520 Fairfield (4)	Fairfield	1 and 3 Tuesday	Guy R. Cutrell, Box 22	Edward J. McKinney, Box 51 520
521 Manteo (3)	Manteo	2 and 4 Monday	Ervin G. Hines, Box 224, Manteo	James D. Groce, Route 1, Manteo 521
524 Pendleton (19)	Pendleton	2 and 4 Tuesday	Lawrence W. Ricks, Conway	Roger Bryant, Conway 524
525 Rodgers (17)	Middlesex	2 and 4 Monday	Otho R. Holland, Box 164	Arnold L. Brown, Drawer 238 525
527 Lucama (17)	Lucama	2 and 4 Thursday	T. Wathew Woodard, Box 144	Gerald Bass, Box 146, Fremont 527
528 Fairmont (12)	Fairmont	1 Monday	Clyde E. Register, 705 Morro	Alton Edwards, Route 1 528
529 Andrews (58)	Andrews	1 Monday	Harvey L. Mulkey, Box 71	Lyle E. Bryson, Route 1 529
530 Joppa (40)	Charlotte	1 Friday	A. Crawford Moore, Jr., Box 534	Edwin H. Kahler, Box 534 530
532 Hamlet (26)	Hamlet	2 and 4 Thursday	Len W. Spencer, Box 85	E. E. King, Box 411 532
534 Camp Call (43)	Shelby, Rt. 5	3 Saturday	Lawrence A. Shuford, Rt. 1, Lawndale	Walter W. Gettys, Rt. 1, Lawndale 534
535 Hollis (52)	Hollis	1 Saturday	Jennings L. Padgett, Route 1, Bostic	Joseph E. Walker, Rt. 1, Ellenboro 535
538 Williams (39)	Cornelius	2 and 4 Thursday	Daniel T. Ewart, Box 323	Jake W. Williams, Cornelius Road 538
542 Corinthian (34)	Greensboro	2 and 4 Monday	E. O. Rider, Box 1943	Garrie C. West, 1912 Weyland Drive 542
543 Spencer (37)	Spencer	2 and 4 Tuesday	Luther E. Burch, Box 51	A. Roland Gibbs, 710 Seventh Street 543
544 Mount Holly (41)	Mount Holly	1 and 3 Monday	Buford T. Barker, Rt. 1, Box 198	Charles A. Elmore, 206 Cavin Avenue 544
550 Roman Eagle (26)	Aberdeen	1 and 3 Thursday	E. Floyd Dunn, Box 916	Richard Davis, Box 798 550
551 Glenville (57)	Glenville	2 Saturday	R. E. Fugate, Box 424, Walhalla, S. C.	John Q. Hedden, Box 307, Cullowhee 551
552 Revolution (34)	Greensboro	1 and 3 Thursday	W. L. Barton, Sr., 3310 Nathaniel Rd.	James A. Morton, 3722 Dawson Ave. 552
554 Vesper (51)	Spruce Pine	1 and 3 Thursday	Charlie G. Epley, Box 580	Arthur Buchanan, Box 83 554
555 Elise (25)	Robbins	1 and 3 Tuesday	Hugh L. McLaurin, P. O. Box 457	J. Frank Kennedy, High Falls 555
556 Neill S. Stewart (13)	Erwin	2 and 4 Tuesday	Ephraim F. Goodwin, Box 427	J. T. Johnson, 200 North 9th St. 556
558 Ararat (47)	Ararat	2 Friday	Coy L. Armstrong, Rt. 1	H. K. Lewis, 707 E. Main St., Pilot Mt. 558
561 Swannanoa (54)	Swannanoa	1 Thursday	H. E. Rodgers, 57 Liberty St., Blitmore	Morris G. Hogan, Jr., 62 Kimberly Ave., Asheville 561

562 Waxhaw (27)	Waxhaw	1 Tuesday	Frank A. Tyson, Jr., Route 2	Clifford J. Rowell, 7832 Wallace Lane, Charlotte	562
563 Tabor (11)	Tabor City	2 Tuesday	A. V. Elliott, Jr., 602 Pine Street	Clifton Sarvis	563
564 Richlands (8)	Richlands	1 and 3 Thursday	Jacob E. Whaley, P. O. Box 337	Bonner H. Jones, Box 477	564
565 Wendell (22)	Wendell	2 and 4 Tuesday	Hugh T. Moody, Box 422	Jack S. Hatley	565
568 Doric (7)	New Bern	2 and 4 Friday	Irvin G. Weatherly, 314 Pine Ridge Ave.	William R. Waters, 1701 Green Springs Road	568
569 Mount Pleasant (17)	Bailey, Rt. 1	1 and 3 Monday	Theibert A. Glover, Rt. 1, Spring Hope	Bobby H. Baines, Route 2	569
571 Snow Creek (45)	Statesville, Rt. 5	1 and 3 Monday	George S. McLelland, 860 Pinewood Cir.	Robert C. Loyd, Jr., 604 N. East St.	571
573 Mount Pleasant (48)	Champion	3 Saturday	James M. Joines, Wilbar	James W. Joines, R-4, Box 11, North Wilkesboro	573
576 Andrew Jackson (37)	Salisbury	Each Thursday	Jasper E. Haynes, P. O. Box 497	Earl R. Curran, R-2, Box 35	576
578 Meadow Branch (27)	Wingate	1 Friday	Jeremiah D. Thomas, Route 1	Charles E. Williams, Route 1, Monroe	578
579 Casar (43)	Casar	1 Thursday	Buland J. Short, Rt. 1, Box 149	Thomas G. Turner, Jr., Route 1	579
583 Ionic (7)	Cove City	2 and 4 Tuesday	R. G. Register, R-2, Box 240, New Bern	James W. Smith, Route 1, Dover	583
584 Apex (24)	Apex	2 and 4 Monday	Charlie E. Stephens, Box 125	Alton B. Parker, Box 262	584
585 Roseboro (14)	Roseboro	1 and 3 Thursday	R. Paul Blevins, P. O. Box 214	B. G. Cashwell, R-2, Box 13, Autryville	585
589 Bethel (5)	Bethel	1 Mon. and 3 Thurs.	Herbert R. Brown, Box 71	Esper A. Futrell, Route 1	589
580 Lowell (41)	Lowell	1 and 3 Tuesday 3 Tu. (Jul.-Aug.)	George F. Teague, 2040 Ashton Pl. New Hope Acres, Gastonia	Woodrow W. Benfield, Jr., Box 396	590
592 Maiden (44)	Maiden	2 Monday	Brady N. Lawing, Box 397	Donald Rome, Route 2	592
593 Stony Point (45)	Stony Point	2 and 4 Tuesday	A. E. Reynolds, Rt. 1, Box 2, Hiddenite	James S. Waugh, Route 2, Hiddenite	593
594 Ashe (49)	West Jefferson	2 and 4 Tuesday	J. H. Payne	C. Max Payne	594
595 Wallace (9)	Wallace	1 and 3 Monday	Thomas C. Townsend, 308 N. College	Robert E. Percy, 707 East Bray St.	595
596 Waccamaw (11)	Bolton	2 and 4 Monday	Marshall R. Heath, Route 1	Jimmie R. Heath, Leland	596
598 Cranberry (51)	Elk Park	1 and 3 Tuesday	H. W. Houston, Box 26, Plumtree	LeRoy D. Riddle, Banner Elk	598
602 Queen City (18)	Rocky Mount	1 and 3 Thursday	Lawrence E. Pearce, 616 Avondale Ave.	Woodrow W. Drake, 316 Arlington St.	602
605 Jeff L. Nelson (55)	Tryon	2 and 4 Monday	Clyde E. Lancaster, 401 Lockhart Rd.	Boyce Williams, Box 123	605
606 Riverside (44)	Catawba	2 and 4 Monday	Max W. Sherrill, Route 1	Festus M. Alexander, Rt. 6, Statesville	606
607 Chadbourn (11)	Chadbourn	3 Tuesday	Guthrie T. Bullard, 307 N. Brown St.	Arthur W. Nance, Jr., Cerro Gordo	607
609 Zebulon (22)	Zebulon	1 Tuesday	R. Vance Brown, Box 181	Willie L. Bullock, Oak St.	609
612 Atkinson (10)	Atkinson	2 and 4 Monday	Cletus F. Fridgen, R-1, Box 202	Herbert H. Pate, Box 117	612
613 Home (16)	Fremont	2 and 4 Monday	William D. Flowers	Jesse M. Bogue	613
616 Round Peak (47)	Mount Airy, Rt. 3	1 Friday	Lester R. Bryant, R-6, Box 206	Virgil T. Holder, Route 6	616
617 St. Patrick's (15)	Princeton	1 and 3 Wednesday	Dillon V. Holt, R-1	Alpheus M. Arthur, Box 308	617
618 Union (38)	Midland	2 Saturday	Joe E. Jenkins, Box 36, Stanfield	T. B. Hathcock, R-1, Box 350, Stanfield	618
624 John H. Mills (21)	Epsom*	2 and 4 Thursday	Ronald T. Renn, Rt. 1, Henderson	Raymond T. Ayscue, Rt. 3, Louisburg	624
626 Cannon Memorial (38)	Kannapolis	1 and 3 Tuesday	John Q. Benton, P. O. Box 683	Ira S. Earwood, R-4, Box 512F	626
627 Belmont (41)	Belmont	2 and 4 Monday	Walter T. Warren, 409 N. Central Ave.	Frank L. Pierce, 20 Wallace Ave.	627
629 Walnut Cove (33)	Walnut Cove	1 Tues. and 3 Sat.	Dewey G. Shropshire, P. O. Box 11, Rural Hall	William F. Marshall, Sr., Box 338	629
630 Francis S. Packard (21)	Norlina	2 and 4 Thursday	Harry W. Walker, Box 307	James Macon Myrick, Box 79	630
634 Goldsboro (16)	Goldsboro	2 and 4 Monday	James W. Howell, Jr., Box 1203	Clarence W. Gwaltney, 302 N. Jefferson St.	634

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637	Yadkin Falls (28)	Badin	1 and 3 Monday	Aaron J. Rice, Box 601	Robert L. Webster, Box 832.....637
643	Proctorville (12)	Proctorville	2 Monday	Henry H. Atkinson, Box 652	Hazley B. Herring, Route 1, Orrum.....643
646	Bladen (11)	Elizabethtown	2 and 4 Monday	Rufus A. Britt, Box 535, Bladenboro	Earl Storms, Box 438, Bladenboro.....646
650	John A. Nichols (54)	Asheville	2 Thursday	Robert S. Hubbs, Box 1303	Linsey G. Young, 95 Springside Road.....650
654	Elberta (26)	West End	Tuesday after 1 and 3 Sunday	B. A. Cox, Sr., Box 161, Ellerbe	Willard T. McFayden, Rt. 1, Ellerbe.....654
656	Guilford (34)	Greensboro	1 and 3 Monday	G. Worth Covington, Box 658	Horace T. Davis, 1910 Marion Street.....656
657	Keller Memorial (37)	Rockwell	2 and 4 Monday	Francis G. Misenheimer, Box 204, Faith	John W. Puckett, Box 548.....657
658	Beulaville (9)	Beulaville	1 and 3 Tuesday	Amos W. Gresham, P. O. Box 164	Carl D. Pate, Box 84.....658
663	Black Mountain (54)	Black Mountain	1 Friday	Wade Morrow, P. O. Box 663	James W. Owen.....663
664	Garland (14)	Garland	2 and 4 Monday	Oscar J. Rich, Box 195	Roscoe Edwards, Box 27.....664
665	West Asheville (54)	Asheville	1 and 3 Monday	Dan S. Judd, Box 6086, W. Asheville	Buck E. Gaston, Box 33, Enka.....665
667	Fort Bragg (13)	Spring Lake	1 Tuesday	Horace W. Ziglar, 310 Lake Avenue	Benjamin F. Darden, 5002 Murchinson Road, Fayetteville.....667
668	Holland Memor'l (42)	Gastonia	2 Thursday	Clinton Crisp, 1416 W. Walnut Ave.,	Thomas A. Dixon, 2526 Redbud Dr.....668
669	Kernersville (35)	Kernersville	1 Monday	Fred L. Elliott, R-3, Box 154	Richard L. Gentry, 2935 Dahlia Dr., Rt. 6, W.-Salem.....669
670	Lovelady (44)	Valdese	2 Monday	Edward Pons, 709 Pons Ave. S. E.	Frederick R. Ribet, Box 125.....670
672	Robbinsville (58)	Robbinsville	2 Tuesday	C. G. Graham, Box 337	Burl L. Orr.....672
673	Spindale (52)	Spindale	2 and 4 Tuesday	Robert B. Massey, Rt. 1, Box 319, Rutherfordton	R. L. Atchley, Rt. 2, Rutherfordton.....673
674	Acacia (36)	High Point	1 Thursday	James D. McCrery, Box 335	Bruce H. Spainhour, Route 2.....674
675	Washington (4)	Washington	1 and 3 Monday	Roy L. Edwards, R-1, Box 429, Chocowinity	Edward R. Edwards, Box 1106.....675
676	Temple (40)	Charlotte	2 Thursday	Louis E. Lamkin, Box 82	Wm. C. Parlier, 1316 Holmes Dr.....676
677	Warsaw (9)	Warsaw	2 and 4 Tuesday	Quincy J. Sutton, Sr., Box 307	Earl C. Davis, Route 1, Rose Hill.....677
678	Providence (3)	Columbia	1 and 3 Wednesday	Lloyd B. Davenport, Box 24	Rowland G. Riddick, Box 333.....678
679	Creasy Proctor (13)	Fayetteville	2 Tuesday	James H. Horne, Box 173	John C. Bruffey, Box 3612.....679
680	Semper Fidelis (8)	Jacksonville	2 and 4 Wednesday	Tony R. Dedmond, Box 1137	John D. Grant, 508 Jarman St.....680
681	Piedmont (36)	High Point	2 Friday	Woodroe F. Haywood, Box 1288	Wm. C. Shaw, N. C. Nat'l Bank Bldg.....681
683	Rolesville (22)	Rolesville	1 and 3 Thursday	Milton E. Jones, 3406 Buffalo Rd., Raleigh	Donald W. Shearon, Route 2, Wake Forest.....683
684	Ahoskie (2)	Ahoskie	1 and 3 Thursday	R. C. Greene, Box 161	G. E. Wynn, Box 161.....684
685	Pioneer (35)	Winston-Salem	1 Wednesday	A. Edward Fey, 338 Miller St.	Edward L. Watson, Box 1105.....685
686	Angier (24)	Angier	2 and 4 Tuesday	R. W. Lee, Jr., Rt. 1, Willow Springs	Orville P. Young, Route 1.....686
687	Fellowship (31)	Durham	2 and 4 Tuesday	J. Ray Rex, Box 712	Lloyd A. Allison, 1811 Cheek Road.....687
688	Cherry Point (50)	Havelock	1 and 3 Thursday	James C. Moore, Box 356	Donald L. Kootz, 215 Nunn St.....688
689	Scotland Neck (20)	Scotland Neck	1 and 3 Tuesday	C. A. Elks, Drawer B	William T. Partin, Box 187.....689
690	Mount Moriah (45)	Statesville	2 and 4 Monday	Ralph M. Sisk, Box 708	Fred W. Lowry, St. Andrews Rd.....690

691 Renfro (47)	Mount Airy	3 Monday	J. Earl Ramey, Box 865	Elzavan E. Marion, 812 Spring St.	691
692 East Gate (40)	Charlotte	1 Monday	Carroll Alexander, 2121 Chatham Ave.	George H. Jones, 1032 Norwich Road	692
693 Charles M. Setzer (40)	Charlotte	Every 3 Monday	Lonnie W. Rogers,	Robert S. Nanney,	
		1 Mon. in Dec.	916 E. Park Avenue	2429 Vail Ave., Apt. 10B	693
694 Gate City (34)	Greensboro	2 and 4 Tuesday	J. T. Benjamin, P. O. Box 2003	Wm. D. Ray Jr., 2121 Sprucewood Dr.	694
695 Allen-Graham (38)	Kannapolis	1 and 3 Thursday	Luther H. Walker, Box 1141	Michael A. Johnson, 401 Helen St.	695
696 Memorial (36)	Lexington	1 and 3 Friday	W. Clifford Greer, Box 69	George B. Miller, N Main St.	696
697 Butner (32)	Butner	2 and 4 Tuesday	Edward W. Willis, Box 681	Arlie C. Harrison, Box 5	697
698 Cape Hatteras (3)	Buxton	2 and 4 Monday	W. Lloyd Scarborough, Box 36	Clarence B. Jennette	698
699 Asheboro (29)	Asheboro	1 and 3 Thursday	Keith G. Hodgins, 1254 Worth Street	Elvin L. Shaw, 1254 Sunset Drive	699
700 Friendship (40)	Charlotte	1 Friday	Horace E. Gray, P. O. Box 3001	John B. Brown, R-3, Box 398-G	700
701 Garner (23)	Garner	2 and 4 Monday	Charles H. Wagner, 1007 Park Ave.	Wm. A. Langley, 1103 Lakeside Dr.	701
702 St. Andrew (40)	Charlotte	1 Wednesday	Leslie J. Williams, Box 1089	Grover C. Thompson,	
				R-3, Box 367L, Matthews	702
703 Albemarle (28)	Albemarle	2 and 4 Monday	Blanton R. Lowder, 160 N First St.	Earl S. Hagans, 612 Montgomery Ave.	703
704 King Solomon (42)	Gastonia	2 Tuesday	Marcus S. McCluney, 2954 Planer Terrace	Earl V. Willis, 120 Patrick St.	704
705 Richard Caswell (6)	Kinston	1 and 3 Tuesday	Ralph D. Dudley, Box 1282	James H. Million, Box 1271	705
706 Newport (50)	Newport	2 and 4 Monday	Lewis Slepkin,		
			310 Mansfield Pkwy., Morehead City	Robert P. Joyce, Jr., R-2, Box 257	706
707 Forsyth (35)	Winston-Salem	2 Tuesday	Raeoford O. Nifong, 215 Stanton Dr., N.W.	E. L. Chapman, 1318 Miller St., S. W.	707
708 Crown Point (5)	Greenville	2 and 4 Thursday	Robert E. Smith, 417 Arbor	Fred H. Rogers, 700 East 1st St.	708
709 Conover (44)	Conover	2 and 4 Thursday	Fred L. Sherrill, Jr., P. O. Box 686	Billy L. Price, Box 458	709
710 Advance (46)	Advance	2 Wednesday	Hubert L. Bailey, R-1, Box 13	Charles E. Crawford, Route 1	710
711 Piedmont (35)	Winston-Salem	1 Thursday	John A. Helderman, Sr.,	James C. Story, Jr.,	
			2060 Willowee Lane	1113 Montgomery Street	711
712 Wilson (17)	Wilson	2 and 4 Tuesday	Charles C. Burris, 1609 W. Kenan St.	George F. Rice, Box 108	712
713 McLurd (41)	Stanley	3 Monday	James R. Handsel, 314 W. Poplar St.	James V. Rhynne, Jr., Rt. 2, Gastonia	713
714 Liberty (29)	Liberty	2 and 4 Thursday	John W. Ward, Jr., Box 68	Benjamin J. Ward, Route 2	714
715 Derita (39)	Derita	1 Friday	H. R. Rimer, R-10, Box 238, Charlotte	Thomas Trythall,	
				4924 Allen Road E., Charlotte	715
716 Hiram (36)	High Point	2 Thursday	Fred J. Cox, Jr., Box 1451	Lyles H. Kearns, 1315 Longcreek Dr.	716
717 Burnsville (53)	Burnsville	3 Thursday	Herschel Holcomb,	John Dale, Route 2	717
718 Troy (28)	Troy	2 and 4 Tuesday	Lloyd Arcsott, Box 876	Jasper M. Brown, 215 W. Chestnut St.	718
719 Horse Creek (55)	Columbus	2 and 4 Thursday	Billy H. Ruff, Route 2, Mill Spring	Fred Ruff, Route 1, Lake Lure	719
720 Cabarrus (38)	Concord	1 Thursday	Wm. D. Alexander, Box 1062	James H. Joyner, R-3, Box 299	720
721 Burlington (30)	Burlington	1 and 3 Tuesday			
		1 Tues. in Dec.	George T. Matthews, Sr., Box 221	Forrest M. Covington, Box 221	721
722 King (35)	King	3 Thursday	Fred D. Rierson, Route 2	Robert G. Rierson, Box 344	722
723 Winton (2)	Winton	2 and 4 Tuesday	John T. Bracy, King Street	Edward L. Horton, Mulberry St.	723
724 Berne (7)	New Bern	1 and 3 Thursday	Cyril Edwards, Jr., Box 866	Joseph P. Chance, R-4, Box 201	724
725 Grantham (7)	Granthams,				
	No. 7 Township,				
	New Bern	1 and 3 Friday	Lloyd G. Brinson, Box 375	John W. Steen,	
726 Keystone (40)	Charlotte	2 Thursday	Robert L. Grubb, 1616 Brandon Rd.	1201 Old Morehead City Road	725
				Joel A. Adams, Box 3100	726

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727 Shallotte (11).....	Shallotte.....	2 and 4 Tuesday....	Jerry A. Moore, Box 625.....	Parker D. Phillips, Route 1.....727
728 Meridian (40).....	Charlotte.....	1 Thursday.....	Marshall E. Propst, 516 Rose Garden Ter	Charles S. Frost, 1218 Roanoke Ave.....728
729 Twin County (18).....	Rocky Mount.....	2 and 4 Monday.....	M. J. Stokes, 321 Charlotte St.....	J. F. King, Jr., 118 Hunting Lodge Dr.....729
730 Stedman (13).....	Stedman.....	1 and 3 Monday.....	John T. Fernald, Rt. 2, Autryville.....	H. B. Smith, Jr., Rt. 5, Fayetteville.....730
731 John Huske	Fayetteville.....	2 Wednesday.....	C. Wallace Jackson, Box 725.....	George W. Godwin, R-2, Box 38.....731
Anderson (13).....				
732 Bush Hill (29).....	Archdale.....	2 Tuesday.....	Robert L. Stephenson, 4205 S. Main St., High Point.....	Wiley C. Wilson, Dellwood Drive.....732
733 Stump Sound (8).....	Sneads Ferry.....	2 and 4 Friday.....	Robert C. McIntyre, Box 158.....	Melvin M. Shepard.....733
734 William Pitt (5).....	Greenville.....	1 and 3 Wednesday.....	William H. Smith, Box 688.....	Roy A. McKeithan, 405 East 5th St.....734
735 Jas. B. Green (23).....	Raleigh.....	2 Tuesday.....	James S. Johnson, Jr., Box 17274.....	Marion E. White, Box 17273.....735
736 New River (8).....	Jacksonville.....	2 and 4 Thursday.....	Maynard A. Dean, Rt. 4, Box 49.....	Charles R. Fullwood, 416 Decatur Rd.....736
737 Steele Creek (39).....	R-4, Charlotte.....	1 Monday.....	Gilbert R. Cooper, Box 10832.....	Charles S. Hancock, Jr., 1212 Carey Ct. 737
U.D. West Gate (40).....	Charlotte.....	1 Monday.....	Lester L. Dattler, 2916 Tuckaseegee Rd	John R. Litaker, 6601 Elmwood Cir..... U.D.
U.D. Newell (39).....	Newell.....	1 Monday.....	J. B. Clark, Box 69.....	Julius P. Torrence, Box 69..... U.D.

NOTES: 1. A location indicated thus (*) is NOT A Post Office.

2. Addresses of officers same as shown for lodge, UNLESS different address is shown for any officer.

3. Secretary should keep this DIRECTORY on his desk for reference at all times

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NORTH CAROLINA LODGES LISTED BY NAME ALPHABETICALLY

NAME	NO.	NAME	NO.
Acacia -----	674	Carthage -----	181
Adoniram -----	149	Cary -----	198
Advance -----	710	Casar -----	579
Ahoskie -----	684	Caswell Brotherhood -----	11
Albemarle -----	703	Catawba -----	248
Allen-Graham -----	695	Catawba Valley -----	217
American George -----	17	Central Cross -----	187
Andrew Jackson -----	576	Chadbourne -----	607
Andrews -----	529	Charity -----	5
Angier -----	686	Charles M. Setzer -----	693
Apex -----	584	Cherokee -----	146
Ararat -----	558	Cherry Point -----	688
Archer -----	165	Cherryville -----	505
Ashe -----	594	Clay -----	301
Asheboro -----	699	Cliffside -----	460
Ashler -----	373	Clyde -----	453
Atkinson -----	612	Cleveland -----	202
Atlantic -----	294	Coharie -----	379
Aulander -----	516	Colerain -----	171
Aurora -----	300	Columbus -----	102
Ayden -----	498	Concord -----	58
Bailey -----	411	Conover -----	709
Bakersville -----	357	Cookville -----	502
Bald Creek -----	397	Copeland -----	390
Balfour -----	188	Corinthian -----	230, 542
Bayboro -----	331	Cranberry -----	598
Beaver Dam -----	276	Creasy Proctor -----	679
Belhaven -----	509	Creedmoor -----	499
Belmont -----	627	Crown Point -----	708
Berne -----	724	Currituck -----	463
Bethel -----	589	Dan River -----	129
Beulaville -----	658	Davie -----	39
Biltmore -----	446	Denton -----	404
Bingham -----	272	Derita -----	715
Biscoe -----	437	Dillsboro -----	459
Blackmer -----	127, 170	Doric -----	568
Black Mountain -----	663	Dunn's Rock -----	267
Bladen -----	646	Durham -----	352
Blue Ridge -----	435	Eagle -----	19
Buffalo -----	172	East Gate -----	692
Bula -----	409	East Laporte -----	358
Burlington -----	721	Elberta -----	654
Burnsville -----	717	Elise -----	555
Bush Hill -----	732	Elkin -----	454
Butner -----	697	Enfield -----	447
Cabarrus -----	720	Eno -----	210
Campbell -----	374	Eureka -----	288, 317
Camp Call -----	534	Excelsior -----	261
Cannon Memorial -----	626	Fair Bluff -----	190
Cape Hatteras -----	698	Fairfield -----	520

PROCEEDINGS OF THE

North Carolina Lodges By Name Alphabetically
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NAME	NO.	NAME	NO.
Fairmont	528	Horse Creek	719
Fairview	339	Ionic	583
Fallston	356	James B. Green	735
Farmington	265	Jefferson Penn	384
Farmville	517	Jeff L. Nelson	605
Fellowship	84, 687	Jerusalem	95
Forest City	381	John A. Nichols	650
Forsyth	707	John Huske Anderson	731
Fort Bragg	667	John H. Mills	624
Francis S. Packard	630	Johnston-Caswell	10
Franklin	109	Joppa	401, 530
Franklinton	123	Joseph Warren	92
French Broad	292	Junaluskee	145
Friendship	700	Kedron	387
Fulton	99	Keller Memorial	657
Fuquay	258	Kenly	257
Garland	664	Kernersville	669
Garner	701	Keystone	726
Gaston	263	Kilwinning	64
Gastonia	369	King	722
Gate City	694	King Solomon	56, 138, 704
Gatesville	126	Knap of Reeds	158
George Washington	174	LaFayette	83
Glenville	551	Laurinburg	305
Goldsboro	634	Lawndale	486
Granite	191, 322	Leaksville	136
Grantham	725	Lebanon	207, 391
Granville	380	Lee	253
Grassy Knob	471	Lenoir	233
Green Level	277	Lexington	473
Greensboro	76	Liberty	45, 714
Greenville	284	Lillington	302
Grifton	243	Lincoln	137
Grimesland	475	Linville	489
Guilford	656	Long Creek	205
Hall	53	Louisburg	413
Hamlet	532	Lovelady	670
Hanks	128	Lowell	590
Harmon	420	Lucama	527
Harmony	299, 340	Maiden	592
Henderson	229	Manteo	521
Henry F. Grainger	412	Marble Springs	439
Hilbritten	262	Marietta	444
Hickory	343	Mattamuskeet	328
Hiram	40, 98, 716	Matthews	461
Holland Memorial	668	Maxton	417
Hollis	535	McLurd	713
Holly Springs	115	Meadow Branch	578
Home	613	Mecklenburg	176
Hominy	491	Memorial	696

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NAME	NO.	NAME	NO.
Meridian -----	728	Raeford -----	306
Millbrook -----	97	Rainbow -----	479
Mill Creek -----	125	Raleigh -----	500
Mingo -----	206	Red Springs -----	501
Mocksville -----	134	Rehoboth -----	279
Monroe -----	244	Relief -----	431
Montgomery -----	426	Renfro -----	691
Moorestboro -----	388	Revolution -----	552
Moorestville -----	496	Richard Caswell -----	705
Morning Star -----	85	Richlands -----	564
Mount Herman -----	118	Rich Square -----	488
Mount Holly -----	544	Riverside -----	606
Mount Lebanon -----	117	Roanoke -----	203
Mount Moriah -----	690	Robbinsville -----	672
Mount Olive -----	208	Rockingham -----	495
Mount Pleasant -----	569, 573	Rodgers -----	525
Mount Vernon -----	143, 359	Rolesville -----	683
Mystic Tie -----	237	Roman Eagle -----	550
Neil S. Stewart -----	556	Roseboro -----	585
Newell -----	U.D.	Round Peak -----	616
New Lebanon -----	314	Royal White Hart -----	2
Newport -----	706	Salem -----	289
New River -----	736	Saluda -----	482
North Wilkesboro -----	407	Sanford -----	151
Numa F. Reid -----	344	Scotch-Ireland -----	154
Ocean -----	405	Scotland Neck -----	689
Oconee -----	427	Seaboard -----	378
Orient -----	395	Sea Side -----	429
Orr -----	104	Selma -----	320
Oxford -----	122	Semper Fidelis -----	680
Palmyra -----	147	Shallotte -----	727
Pee Dee -----	150	Siler City -----	403
Pendleton -----	524	Skewarkee -----	90
Perquimans -----	106	Snow -----	363
Perseverance -----	59	Snow Creek -----	571
Person -----	113	Sonoma -----	472
Phalanx -----	31	Southern Pines -----	484
Phoenix -----	8	South Fork -----	462
Piedmont -----	681, 711	Sparta -----	423
Pigeon River -----	386	Spencer -----	543
Pilot -----	493	Spindale -----	673
Piney Creek -----	432	St. Alban's -----	114
Pioneer -----	685	St. Andrew -----	702
Pleasant Hill -----	304	St. John's -----	1, 3, 4, 13
Potecasi -----	418	Stanly -----	348
Proctorville -----	643	State Line -----	375
Providence -----	678	Statesville -----	27
Pythagoras -----	249	Stedman -----	730
Queen City -----	602	Steele Creek -----	737
Radiance -----	132	Stokes -----	32

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NAME	NO.	NAME	NO.
Stokesdale -----	428	Washington -----	675
Stonewall -----	296	Waxhaw -----	562
Stony Point -----	593	Wayne -----	112
St. Patrick's -----	617	Waynesville -----	259
St. Paul's -----	474	Wendell -----	565
Stump Sound -----	733	West Asheville -----	665
Swannanoa -----	561	West Bend -----	434
Tobasco -----	271	West Gate -----	U.D.
Tabor -----	563	Western Star -----	91
Tally Ho -----	393	Whetstone -----	515
Temple -----	676	White Stone -----	155
Thomas M. Holt -----	492	Wiccacon -----	240
Thomasville -----	214	Widow's Son -----	75, 519
Traphill -----	483	William G. Hill -----	218
Troy -----	718	William Pitt -----	734
Twin County -----	729	Williams -----	538
Unanimity -----	7	William T. Bain -----	231
Union -----	618	Wilmington -----	319
University -----	408	Wilson -----	226, 712
Vance -----	293	Winston -----	167
Vanceboro -----	433	Winton -----	723
Vesper -----	554	Yadkin -----	162
Waccamaw -----	596	Yadkin Falls -----	637
Wake Forest -----	282	Youngsville -----	377
Walnut Cove -----	629	Zebulon -----	609
Warsaw -----	677	Zion -----	81

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Aberdeen	550	Charlotte	31, 261, 530, 676,
Advance	710		692, 693, 700, 702, 726, 728
Ahoskie	684	Charlotte, R.F.D.	737
Albemarle	348, 703	Cherryville	505
Andrews	529	China Grove	283
Angier	686	Clayton	191
Apex	584	Clayton, R.F.D.	165
Apex, Rt. 1	174	Cleveland	154
Apex, Rt. 3	277	Cliffside	460
Arapahoe	479	Clinton	98
Ararat	558	Clyde	453
Archdale	732	Coinjock	463
Asheboro	188, 699	Colerain	171
Asheville	118, 446, 650, 665	Columbia	678
Atkinson	612	Columbus	719
Aulander	516	Concord	32, 720
Aurora	300	Conover	709
Ayden	498	Copeland	390
Badin	637	Cornelius	538
Bahama	158	Cornwall	149
Bailey	411	Cove City	583
Bailey, Rt. 1	569	Cramerton	462
Bakersville	357	Creedmoor	499
Bayboro	331	Dallas	263
Beaufort	109	Davidson	176
Beaulaville	658	Deep Gap	373
Belhaven	509	Denton	404
Belmont	627	Derita	715
Benson	431	Dunn	147
Bessemer City	515	Dunn, R.F.D.	206
Bethel	589	Durham	210, 352, 687
Biscoe	437	East LaPort	358
Black Mountain	663	Edenton	7
Bolton	596	Elizabeth City	317
Bonlee	143	Elizabethtown	646
Boone	363	Elkin	454
Brevard	267	Elk Park	598
Bryson City	427	Enfield	447
Burgaw	138	Englehard	328
Burlington	409, 721	Epsom	624
Burnsville	717	Erwin	556
Butner	697	Fair Bluff	190
Buxton	698	Fairfield	520
Camden	75	Fairmont	528
Candler	491	Fallston	356
Canton	386	Farmington	265
Canton, Rt. 2	472	Farmville	517
Carthage	181	Fayetteville	8, 679, 731
Cary	198	Forest City	381
Casar	579	Fort Bragg	667
Catawba	606	Franklin	145
Chadbourn	607	Franklinton	123
Chapel Hill	408	Franklinville	128

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Fremont	613	Liberty	714
Fuquay Springs	258	Lillington	302
Garland	664	Lincolnton	137
Garner	701	Littleton	497
Gastonia	369, 668, 704	Louisburg	413
Gatesville	126	Lowell	590
Gibsonville	271	Lucama	527
Glenville	551	Lumberton	114
Goldsboro	112, 634	Madison	129
Graham	492	Maiden	592
Granthams, No. 7 Township (New Bern)	725	Manteo	521
Greensboro	76, 542, 552, 656, 694	Marble	439
Greenville	284, 708, 734	Marion	237
Grifton	243	Marshall	292
Grimesland	475	Marshville	276
Grover	375	Matthews	461
Halifax	2	Maxton	417
Hamlet	532	Mebane	272
Harmony	299	Middlesex	525
Harrellsville	240	Midland	618
Havelock	683	Millbrook	97, 735
Hayesville	301	Mocksville	134
Henderson	229	Monroe	244
Hendersonville	387	Mooreboro	388
Henry, Near	502	Mooreville	496
Hertford	106	Morehead City	405
Hickory	343	Morganton	217
Highlands	435	Mount Airy	322, 691
High Point	344, 674, 681, 716	Mount Airy, Rt. 3	616
Hillsboro	19	Mount Gilead	127
Hollis	535	Mount Holly	544
Holly Springs	115	Mount Olive	208
Hookerton	95	Murfreesboro	17
Hope Mills	391	Murphy	146
Huntersville	205	Nashville	85
Jackson	56	New Bern	3, 568, 724, 736
Jacksonville	83, 680	Newland	489
Kannapolis	626, 695	Newport	706
Kenansville	13	Newton	248
Kenly	257	Newton Grove	125
Kernersville	669	Norlina	630
King	722	North Wilkesboro	407
Kings Mountain	339	Norwood	150
Kinston	4, 705	Old Fort	401
LaGrange	233	Olin	226
Laurinburg	305	Oriental	359
Lawndale	486	Oxford	122
Leaksville	136	Oxford, Rt. 5	412
Lenoir	262	Pendleton	524
Lewiston	39	Pikeville	340
Lewisville	434	Pilot Mountain	493
Lexington	473, 696	Piney Creek	432

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Pink Hill	304	Statesville, Rt. 5	571
Pittsboro	102	Stedman	730
Plymouth	59	Stem	393
Potecasi	418	Stocksville	293
Princeton	617	Stokesdale	428
Proctorville	643	Stony Point	593
Raeford	306	Swannanoa	561
Raleigh	40, 218, 500	Swanquarter	294
Raleigh, Rt. 3	231	Swansboro	429
Ramseur	444	Swiss	397
Ranger	426	Sylva	459
Red Springs	501	Tabor City	563
Reidsville	384	Tarboro	58
Richlands	564	Taylorsville	253
Rich Square	488	Thomasville	214
Roanoke Rapids	519	Trap Hill	433
Robbins	555	Trenton	81
Robbinsville	672	Troutman	374
Robersonville	296	Troy	718
Rockingham	495	Tryon	605
Rockwell	657	Union Grove	471
Rocky Mount	230, 602, 729	Valdese	670
Rolesville	683	Vanceboro	433
Roseboro	585	Wadesboro	64
Rose Hill	279	Wakefield	155
Roxboro	113	Wake Forest	282
Rutherfordton	91	Wake Forest, Rt. 3	380
St. Paul's	474	Wallace	595
Salemburg	379	Walnut Cove	629
Salisbury	99, 576	Warrenton	10
Saluda	482	Warsaw	677
Sanford	151, 172	Washington	104, 675
Scotland Neck	689	Waxhaw	562
Seaboard	378	Waynesville	259
Selma	320	Weaverville	170
Shallotte	727	Weldon	203
Shawboro, <i>Star Route</i>	53	Wendell	565
Shelby	202	West End	654
Shelby, Rt. 5	534	West Jefferson	594
Siler City	403	Whiteville	207
Smithfield	84	Wilkesboro	45
Sneads Ferry	733	Wilkesboro, Rt. 1	573
Snow Hill	132	Williamston	90
Southern Pines	484	Wilmington	1, 319, 395
South Mills	314	Wilson	117, 712
Southport	249	Windsor	5
Sparta	423	Wingate	578
Spencer	543	Win.-Salem 167, 289, 685, 707,	711
Spindale	673	Winton	723
Spring Hope, Rt. 2	187	Yadkinville	162
Spruce Pine	554	Yadkinville, Rt. 3	420
Stanley	713	Yanceyville	11
Stantonsburg	92	Youngsville	377
Statesville	27, 690	Zebulon	609

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North Carolina Lodges Listed By Counties

1. Alamance	272, 409, 492, 721
2. Alexander	253, 593
3. Alleghany	423, 432
4. Anson	64
5. Ashe	594
6. Avery	489, 598
7. Beaufort	104, 300, 509, 675
8. Bertie	5, 39, 171, 516
9. Bladen	646
10. Brunswick	249, 727
11. Buncombe	118, 170, 293, 446, 491, 561, 650, 663, 665
12. Burke	217, 670
13. Cabarrus	32, 618, 626, 695, 720
14. Caldwell	262
15. Camden	75, 314
16. Carteret	109, 405, 706
17. Caswell	11
18. Catawba	248, 343, 502, 592, 606, 709
19. Chatham	102, 143, 174, 403
20. Cherokee	146, 426, 439, 529
21. Chowan	7
22. Clay	301
23. Cleveland	202, 339, 356, 375, 388, 486, 534, 579
24. Columbus	190, 207, 563, 596, 607
25. Craven	3, 433, 568, 583, 688, 724, 725
26. Cumberland	8, 391, 667, 679, 730, 731
27. Currituck	53, 463
28. Dare	521, 698
29. Davidson	214, 404, 473, 696
30. Davie	134, 265, 710
31. Duplin	13, 279, 595, 658, 677
32. Durham	158, 210, 352, 687
33. Edgecombe	58
34. Forsyth	167, 289, 434, 669, 685, 707, 711
35. Franklin	123, 377, 413, 624
36. Gaston	263, 369, 462, 505, 515, 544, 590, 627, 668, 704, 713
37. Gates	126
38. Graham	672
39. Granville	122, 149, 380, 393, 412, 499, 697
40. Greene	95, 132
41. Guilford	76, 271, 344, 428, 542, 552, 656, 674, 681, 694, 716
42. Halifax	2, 203, 447, 519, 689
43. Harnett	147, 302, 556, 686
44. Haywood	259, 386, 453, 472
45. Henderson	387
46. Hertford	17, 240, 684, 723
47. Hoke	306
48. Hyde	294, 328, 520
49. Iredell	27, 226, 299, 374, 471, 496, 571, 690
50. Jackson	358, 459, 551
51. Johnston	84, 165, 191, 257, 320, 431, 617
52. Jones	81
53. Lee	151, 172

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54. Lenoir	4, 233, 304, 705
55. Lincoln	137
56. Macon	145, 435
57. Madison	292
58. Martin	90, 296
59. McDowell	237, 401
60. Mecklenburg	31, 176, 205, 261, 461, 530, 538 676, 692, 693, 700, 702, 715, 726, 728, 737
61. Mitchell	357, 554
62. Montgomery	127, 437, 718
63. Moore	181, 484, 550, 555, 654
64. Nash	85, 187, 230, 411, 525, 569, 602, 729
65. New Hanover	1, 319, 395
66. Northampton	56, 378, 418, 488, 524
67. Onslow	83, 429, 564, 680, 733, 736
68. Orange	19, 408
69. Pamlico	331, 359, 479
70. Pasquotank	317
71. Pender	138, 612
72. Perquimans	106
73. Person	113
74. Pitt	243, 284, 475, 498, 517, 589, 734
75. Polk	482, 605, 719
76. Randolph	128, 188, 444, 699, 714, 732
77. Richmond	495, 532
78. Robeson	114, 41, 474, 501, 528, 643
79. Rockingham	129, 136, 384
80. Rowan	99, 154, 283, 543, 576, 657
81. Rutherford	91, 381, 460, 535, 673
82. Sampson	98, 125, 206, 379, 585, 664
83. Scotland	305
84. Stanly	150, 348, 637, 703
85. Stokes	629, 722
86. Surry	322, 390, 454, 493, 558, 616, 691
87. Swain	427
88. Transylvania	267
89. Tyrrell	678
90. Union	244, 276, 562, 578
91. Vance	229
92. Wake	40, 97, 115, 155, 198, 218, 231, 258, 277, 282, 500, 565, 584, 609, 683, 701, 735
93. Warren	10, 497, 630
94. Washington	59
95. Watauga	363, 373
96. Wayne	112, 208, 340, 613, 634
97. Wilkes	45, 407, 483, 573
98. Wilson	92, 117, 527, 712
99. Yadkin	162, 420
100. Yancey	397, 717

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1.	-----7, 53, 75, 106, 126, 314, 317, 463
2.	-----5, 39, 90, 171, 240, 516, 684, 723
3.	-----328, 521, 678, 698
4.	-----59, 104, 294, 300, 509, 520, 675
5.	-----243, 284, 296, 475, 498, 517, 589, 708, 734
6.	-----4, 95, 132, 233, 304, 705
7.	-----3, 81, 331, 359, 433, 479, 568, 583, 724, 725
8.	-----83, 429, 564, 680, 733, 736
9.	-----13, 279, 595, 658, 677
10.	-----1, 138, 249, 319, 395, 612
11.	-----190, 207, 563, 596, 607, 646, 727
12.	-----114, 417, 474, 501, 528, 643
13.	-----8, 147, 302, 391, 556, 667, 679, 730, 731
14.	-----98, 125, 206, 379, 585, 664
15.	-----84, 165, 191, 257, 320, 431, 617
16.	-----112, 208, 340, 613, 634
17.	-----92, 117, 411, 525, 527, 569, 712
18.	-----58, 85, 187, 230, 602, 729
19.	-----17, 56, 378, 418, 488, 524
20.	-----2, 203, 447, 497, 519, 689
21.	-----10, 123, 229, 377, 413, 624, 630
22.	-----155, 282, 380, 565, 609, 683
23.	-----40, 97, 198, 218, 231, 500, 701, 735
24.	-----115, 174, 258, 277, 584, 686
25.	-----102, 143, 151, 172, 181, 403, 555
26.	-----305, 306, 484, 495, 532, 550, 654
27.	-----64, 244, 276, 562, 578
28.	-----127, 150, 348, 437, 637, 703, 718
29.	-----128, 188, 444, 699, 714, 732
30.	-----11, 19, 271, 272, 409, 492, 721
31.	-----158, 210, 352, 408, 687
32.	-----113, 122, 149, 393, 412, 499, 697
33.	-----129, 136, 384, 629
34.	-----76, 428, 542, 552, 656, 694
35.	-----167, 289, 669, 685, 707, 711, 722
36.	-----214, 344, 404, 473, 674, 681, 696, 716
37.	-----99, 154, 283, 543, 576, 657
38.	-----32, 618, 626, 695, 720
39.	-----176, 205, 461, 538, 715, 737
40.	-----31, 261, 530, 676, 692, 693, 700, 702, 726, 728
41.	-----137, 462, 544, 590, 627, 713
42.	-----263, 369, 505, 515, 668, 704
43.	-----202, 339, 356, 375, 388, 486, 534, 579
44.	-----217, 248, 262, 343, 502, 592, 606, 670, 709
45.	-----27, 226, 253, 299, 374, 471, 496, 571, 593, 690
46.	-----134, 162, 265, 420, 434, 710
47.	-----322, 390, 454, 493, 558, 616, 691
48.	-----45, 407, 483, 573
49.	-----363, 373, 423, 432, 594
50.	-----109, 405, 688, 706
51.	-----357, 489, 554, 598
52.	-----91, 237, 381, 401, 460, 535, 673
53.	-----170, 292, 293, 397, 717
54.	-----118, 446, 491, 561, 650, 663, 665
55.	-----267, 387, 482, 605, 719
56.	-----259, 386, 453, 472
57.	-----145, 358, 427, 435, 459, 551
58.	-----146, 301, 426, 439, 529, 672

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**NORTH CAROLINA LODGES
LISTED NUMERICALLY**

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NO. NAME AND DISTRICT	POST OFFICE	COUNTY	Initiated	Passed	Raised	Admitted	Restored	Expelled	Suspended U.M.C.	Excluded N.P.D.	Demitted	Died	Membership Previous Year	Present Membership	Decrease	Increase	Refected	FEES	DUES	NO.
1 St. John's (10)-----	Wilmington-----	New Hanover	10	8	7	2	0	0	0	3	7	15	604	588	16	0	1	\$ 75.00	\$10.00	1
2 Royal White Hart (20)---	Halifax-----	Halifax-----	4	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	64	65	0	0	0	35.00	10.00	2
3 St. John's (7)-----	New Bern-----	Craven-----	14	14	14	2	0	0	0	5	2	2	236	245	0	9	0	50.00	10.00	3
4 St. John's (6)-----	Kinston-----	Lenoir-----	7	10	8	1	1	1	1	4	8	8	375	365	10	0	1	50.00	10.00	4
5 Charity (2)-----	Windsor-----	Bertie-----	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	1	3	133	131	2	0	0	30.00	6.00	5
7 Unanimity (1)-----	Edenton-----	Chowan-----	8	8	8	1	1	1	0	0	1	3	155	159	4	4	0	50.00	15.00	6
8 Phoenix (13)-----	Fayetteville-----	Cumberland	20	19	18	1	1	1	0	0	24	11	600	586	14	0	0	75.00	10.00	7
10 Johnston-Caswell (21)---	Warrenton-----	Warren-----	3	2	2	1	1	1	0	0	5	2	89	84	5	0	1	35.00	20.00	8
11 Caswell Bro'hood (30)---	Yanceyville-----	Caswell-----	7	3	5	1	0	0	0	1	1	6	132	130	2	0	1	50.00	10.00	9
13 St. John's (9)-----	Kenansville-----	Duplin-----	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	3	4	2	158	152	6	0	0	35.00	10.00	10
17 American George (19)---	Murfreesboro-----	Hertford-----	1	2	2	1	1	1	0	0	0	3	112	113	0	1	0	50.00	7.50	11
19 Eagle (30)-----	Hillsboro-----	Orange-----	2	5	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	183	184	0	1	1	50.00	10.00	12
27 Statesville (45)-----	Statesville-----	Iredell-----	10	8	9	2	2	1	0	0	1	7	219	221	0	2	0	60.00	12.00	13
31 Phalanx (40)-----	Charlotte-----	Mecklenburg	9	23	25	1	1	1	0	6	7	17	599	598	1	0	0	75.00	10.00	14
32 Stokes (38)-----	Concord-----	Cabarrus-----	12	9	10	2	4	3	0	0	8	8	405	403	2	0	6	50.00	15.00	15
39 Davie (2)-----	Lewiston-----	Bertie-----	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	57	55	2	0	0	35.00	15.00	16
40 Hiram (23)-----	Raleigh-----	Wake-----	11	7	12	2	6	0	0	4	1	14	641	642	0	1	1	75.00	15.00	17
45 Liberty (48)-----	Wilkesboro-----	Wilkes-----	3	2	2	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	92	97	0	5	0	40.00	12.00	18
53 Hall (1)-----	Shawboro,Star Rt.	Currituck-----	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	126	126	0	0	0	50.00	12.00	19
56 King Solomon (19)-----	Jackson-----	Northampton	2	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	84	88	0	4	0	35.00	7.50	20
58 Concord (18)-----	Tarboro-----	Edgecombe-----	4	7	6	0	1	0	0	0	1	4	169	171	0	2	0	50.00	6.00	21
59 Perseverance (4)-----	Plymouth-----	Washington-----	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	227	226	1	0	1	50.00	10.00	22
64 Kilwinning (27)-----	Wadesboro-----	Anson-----	3	4	4	0	2	0	0	7	5	5	237	226	11	0	2	50.00	10.00	23
75 Widow's Son (1)-----	Camden-----	Camden-----	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	95	93	2	0	0	75.00	16.00	24
76 Greensboro (34)-----	Greensboro-----	Guliford-----	10	10	10	2	2	0	0	5	4	14	625	618	7	0	0	75.00	10.00	25
81 Zion (7)-----	Trenton-----	Jones-----	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	105	105	0	0	0	50.00	20.00	26
83 LaFayette (8)-----	Jacksonville-----	Onslow-----	5	4	2	1	3	0	0	3	1	2	317	317	0	0	3	50.00	15.00	27
84 Fellowship (15)-----	Smithfield-----	Johnston-----	5	4	6	2	0	0	0	0	0	6	224	226	0	2	1	75.00	12.50	28
85 Morning Star (18)-----	Nash-----	Nash-----	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	4	108	103	5	0	0	35.00	12.00	29
90 Skewarkee (2)-----	Williamston-----	Martin-----	5	6	6	1	1	0	0	0	1	4	217	220	0	3	2	50.00	18.00	30
91 Western Star (52)-----	Rutherfordton-----	Rutherford-----	5	6	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	134	135	0	1	0	50.00	10.00	31
92 Joseph Warren (17)-----	Stantonsburg-----	Wilson-----	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	3	84	82	2	0	0	35.00	10.00	32
95 Jerusalem (6)-----	Hookerton-----	Greene-----	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	57	57	0	0	0	35.00	7.50	33
97 Millbrook (23)-----	Millbrook-----	Wake-----	8	9	9	2	0	0	0	0	2	2	144	151	0	7	0	75.00	10.00	34

98	Hiram (14)	Clinton	Sampson	13	9	7	6	0	0	0	0	3	2	3	264	269	0	5	2	50.00	10.00	98
99	Fulton (37)	Salisbury	Rowan	5	5	4	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	10	345	340	5	0	0	75.00	15.00	99
102	Columbus (25)	Pittsboro	Chatham	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	77	78	0	1	0	30.00	5.00	102
104	Orr (4)	Washington	Beaufort	9	7	7	5	1	0	0	0	5	0	4	243	247	0	4	5	50.00	10.00	104
106	Perquimans (1)	Hertford	Perquimans	4	3	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	146	150	0	2	0	45.00	8.00	106
109	Franklin (50)	Beaufort	Carteret	18	13	12	1	1	0	0	0	1	2	5	347	353	0	6	6	50.00	10.00	109
112	Wayne (16)	Goldsboro	Wayne	9	10	8	1	1	0	0	0	7	5	8	425	415	10	0	0	75.00	15.00	112
113	Person (32)	Roxboro	Person	6	5	5	1	0	0	0	0	4	1	4	204	201	3	0	2	100.00	20.00	113
114	St. Alban's (12)	Lumberton	Robeson	7	7	7	1	1	0	0	0	7	2	4	360	354	0	0	3	100.00	24.00	114
115	Holly Springs (24)	Holly Springs	Wake	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	38	38	0	0	0	30.00	6.00	115
117	Mount Lebanon (17)	Wilson	Wilson	10	8	10	0	1	0	0	0	3	1	4	218	221	0	3	0	50.00	12.00	117
118	Mount Hermon (54)	Asheville	Buncombe	8	8	8	2	1	0	0	0	4	1	14	589	589	8	0	0	60.00	12.00	118
122	Oxford (32)	Oxford	Granville	8	8	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	218	222	0	4	1	50.00	15.00	122
123	Franklinton (21)	Franklinton	Franklin	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	4	0	2	67	63	4	0	0	60.00	12.00	123
125	Mill Creek (14)	Newton Grove	Sampson	3	3	3	4	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	115	121	0	6	2	30.00	10.00	125
126	Gatesville (1)	Gatesville	Gates	3	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	5	123	121	2	0	1	50.00	20.00	126
127	Blackmer (28)	Mount Gilead	Montgomery	3	5	5	2	1	0	0	0	0	3	0	108	113	0	5	0	35.00	8.00	127
128	Hanks (29)	Franklinville	Randolph	2	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	48	50	0	2	0	50.00	12.00	128
129	Dan River (33)	Madison	Rockingham	4	5	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	157	157	0	0	0	30.00	5.00	129
132	Radiance (6)	Snow Hill	Greene	4	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	98	98	0	0	0	35.00	10.00	132
134	Mocksville (46)	Mocksville	Davie	1	3	4	0	1	0	0	1	2	2	6	182	176	6	0	6	50.00	10.00	134
136	Leaksville (33)	Leaksville	Rockingham	10	8	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	7	221	222	0	1	5	75.00	10.00	136
137	Lincoln (41)	Lincolnton	Lincoln	7	5	5	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	202	205	0	3	4	50.00	10.00	137
138	King Solomon (10)	Burgaw	Pender	1	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	138	137	1	0	0	50.00	12.00	138
143	Mount Vernon (25)	Bonlee	Chatham	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	66	64	2	0	1	30.00	10.00	143
145	Junaluskee (57)	Franklin	Macon	6	7	7	3	1	0	0	0	0	1	4	226	232	0	6	1	35.00	10.00	145
146	Cherokee (58)	Cherokee	Cherokee	4	6	6	3	0	0	0	0	2	0	3	181	185	0	4	1	40.00	10.00	146
147	Palmyra (13)	Dunn	Harnett	12	10	7	2	1	0	0	0	0	2	8	372	372	0	0	1	50.00	10.00	147
149	Adoniram (32)	Cornwall	Granville	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	46	47	0	1	0	30.00	7.50	149
150	Pee Dee (28)	Norwood	Stanly	6	6	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	71	77	0	6	0	50.00	10.00	150
151	Sanford (25)	Sanford	Lee	7	7	6	4	2	0	0	0	1	1	5	194	196	0	5	1	50.00	12.00	151
154	Scotch Ireland (37)	Cleveland	Rowan	5	4	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	6	81	80	1	0	0	50.00	5.00	154
155	White Stone (22)	Wakefield	Wake	7	7	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	172	176	0	4	0	30.00	7.50	155
156	Knap of Reeds (31)	Bahama	Durham	3	3	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	66	63	1	0	2	25.00	5.00	156
162	Yadkin (46)	Yadkinville	Yadkin	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	151	153	0	2	0	50.00	20.00	162
165	Archer (15)	Clayton, RFD	Johnston	4	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	69	69	0	0	0	30.00	10.00	165
167	Winston (35)	Winston-Salem	Forsyth	9	9	9	1	2	0	0	0	2	3	14	525	518	7	0	1	75.00	12.50	167
170	Blackmer (53)	Weaverville	Buncombe	5	5	6	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	4	141	140	1	0	0	50.00	10.00	170
171	Colerain (2)	Weaverville	Bertie	2	2	2	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	76	77	0	1	0	30.00	20.00	171
172	Buffalo (25)	Sanford	Lee	10	7	6	1	1	0	0	0	2	2	7	221	218	3	0	0	50.00	12.00	172
174	Geo. Washington (24)	Apex, Rt. 1	Chatham	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	30	27	3	0	0	30.00	10.00	174
176	Mecklenburg (39)	Davidson	Mecklenburg	3	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	87	85	2	0	0	25.00	7.50	176
181	Carthage (25)	Carthage	Moore	2	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	93	90	3	0	0	50.00	10.00	181
187	Central Cross (18)	Spring Hope, Rt. 2	Nash	2	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	85	85	0	0	0	30.00	10.00	187
188	Balfour (29)	Asheboro	Randolph	5	6	6	0	0	0	0	0	4	1	3	202	200	2	0	0	50.00	10.00	188
190	Fair Bluff (11)	Fair Bluff	Columbus	2	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	60	60	0	0	0	50.00	10.00	190
191	Granite (15)	Clayton	Johnston	4	4	6	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	61	65	0	4	1	30.00	8.00	191

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193 Cary (23)	Cary	Wake	6	4	4	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	219	219	0	0	0	50.00	10.00	198
202 Cleveland (43)	Shelby	Cleveland	19	18	15	0	0	0	0	4	6	0	459	486	3	0	0	60.00	15.00	202
203 Roanoke (20)	Weldon	Halifax	1	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	58	58	0	0	0	50.00	10.00	203
205 Long Creek (39)	Huntersville	Mecklenburg	11	12	12	1	0	0	0	0	4	4	289	291	0	0	0	75.00	10.00	205
206 Mingo (14)	Dunn, RFD	Sampson	6	6	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	80	84	0	0	0	50.00	10.00	206
207 Lebanon (11)	Whiteville	Columbus	5	9	4	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	149	155	0	0	0	65.00	15.00	207
208 Mount Olive (16)	Mount Olive	Wayne	5	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	163	159	0	0	0	35.00	14.00	208
210 Eno (31)	Durham	Durham	6	8	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	372	368	0	0	0	60.00	10.00	210
214 Thomasville (36)	Thomasville	Davidson	6	9	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	270	279	0	0	0	75.00	10.00	214
217 Catawba Valley (44)	Morganton	Burke	6	7	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	220	222	0	0	0	75.00	25.00	217
218 William G. Hill (23)	Raleigh	Wake	27	35	25	4	0	0	0	12	1	1	663	666	0	0	0	75.00	15.00	218
226 Wilson (45)	Olin	Fredell	9	9	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	50	50	0	0	0	30.00	5.00	226
229 Henderson (21)	Henderson	Vance	9	8	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	263	266	0	0	0	30.00	7.00	229
230 Corinthian (18)	Rocky Mount	Nash	12	12	11	0	0	0	0	6	1	1	346	355	0	0	0	50.00	9.00	230
231 William T. Bain (23)	Raleigh, Rt. 3	Wake	2	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	73	73	0	0	0	60.00	8.00	231
233 Lenoir (6)	La Grange	Lenoir	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	63	63	0	0	0	30.00	15.00	233
237 Mystic Tie (52)	Marion	McDowell	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	233	228	5	0	0	50.00	6.00	237
240 Wicacaon (2)	Harrellsville	Certford	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	34	32	2	0	0	30.00	10.00	240
243 Grifton (5)	Grifton	Pitt	7	5	5	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	126	127	1	0	0	50.00	12.00	243
244 Monroe (27)	Monroe	Union	28	23	23	0	0	0	11	2	0	4	339	348	0	0	0	50.00	12.00	244
248 Catawba (44)	Newton	Catawba	10	12	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	182	191	0	0	0	50.00	5.00	248
249 Pythagoras (10)	Southport	Brunswick	5	5	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	136	138	0	0	0	75.00	12.00	249
253 Lee (45)	Taylorsville	Alexander	2	1	0	0	0	0	4	3	3	3	119	110	9	0	1	50.00	15.00	253
257 Kenly (15)	Kenly	Johnston	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	90	88	2	0	0	40.00	10.00	257
258 Fuquay (24)	Fuquay Springs	Wake	3	1	1	0	0	0	2	1	2	3	133	128	5	0	0	25.00	25.00	258
259 Waynesville (56)	Waynesville	Haywood	8	6	6	2	0	0	4	1	5	5	256	254	2	0	0	50.00	8.00	259
261 Excelsior (40)	Charlotte	Mecklenburg	41	41	38	10	3	0	10	14	20	20	1116	1123	0	0	0	75.00	10.00	261
262 Hibriten (44)	Lenoir	Caldwell	9	11	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	428	431	0	0	0	50.00	10.00	262
263 Gaston (42)	Dallas	Gaston	7	10	8	2	0	0	1	0	0	1	111	119	0	0	0	50.00	10.00	263
265 Farmington (46)	Farmington	Davie	3	2	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	62	64	0	0	0	50.00	10.00	265
287 Dunn's Rock (55)	Brevard	Transylvania	12	9	9	1	0	0	0	0	0	8	259	261	0	0	0	80.00	15.00	287
271 Tabasco (30)	Gibsonville	Gulford	3	2	2	1	1	0	1	0	1	1	92	94	0	0	0	50.00	10.00	271
272 Bingham (30)	Mebane	Alamance	4	5	6	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	162	166	0	4	2	50.00	10.00	272
276 Beaver Dam (27)	Marshville	Union	6	5	5	0	0	0	0	1	1	4	118	117	1	0	1	50.00	12.50	276

277	Green Level (24)	Apex, Rt. 3	Wake	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	49	49	0	0	0	40.00	6.00	277	
279	Rehoboth (9)	Rosehill	Duplin	2	2	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	82	82	0	0	1	35.00	9.00	279
282	Wake Forest (22)	Wake Forest	Wake	5	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	119	121	0	0	2	50.00	10.00	282	
283	Eureka (37)	China Grove	Rowan	7	6	6	0	4	0	0	0	3	1	193	198	0	5	2	50.00	10.00	283	
284	Greenville (5)	Greenville	Pitt	5	6	6	5	1	0	0	0	3	2	5	302	304	0	2	0	50.00	10.00	284
289	Salem (35)	Winston-Salem	Forsyth	17	21	21	7	7	0	0	13	6	14	851	853	0	2	2	75.00	12.50	289	
292	French Broad (53)	Marshall	Madison	8	7	8	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	203	212	0	9	3	35.00	8.00	292	
293	Vance (53)	Stocksboro	Buncombe	8	6	5	0	1	0	0	0	1	2	166	169	0	3	0	35.00	5.00	293	
294	Atlantic (4)	Swanquarter	Hyde	11	6	6	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	58	61	0	3	0	50.00	10.00	294	
296	Stonewall (5)	Robersonville	Martin	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	4	141	134	7	0	0	35.00	5.00	296	
299	Harmony (45)	Harmony	Iredell	5	4	3	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	59	63	0	4	0	35.00	7.00	299	
300	Aurora (4)	Aurora	Beaufort	17	14	13	0	1	0	0	0	0	4	99	109	0	10	3	40.00	10.00	300	
301	Clay (58)	Hayesville	Clay	1	2	2	4	0	0	0	0	1	4	217	218	0	1	0	50.00	5.00	301	
302	Lillington (13)	Lillington	Harnett	13	12	9	4	1	0	0	0	0	1	187	200	0	13	5	50.00	15.00	302	
304	Pleasant Hill (6)	Pink Hill	Lenoir	0	3	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	139	139	0	0	1	50.00	10.00	304	
305	Laurinburg (26)	Laurinburg	Scotland	9	7	6	3	2	0	0	2	0	5	167	171	0	4	1	50.00	15.00	305	
306	Rae ford (28)	Rae ford	Hoke	3	2	3	1	1	0	0	4	1	5	133	130	3	0	1	50.00	10.00	306	
314	New Lebanon (1)	South Mills	Camden	2	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	98	101	0	3	0	40.00	10.00	314	
317	Eureka (1)	Elizabeth City	Pasquotank	8	13	15	2	0	0	0	3	1	9	413	417	0	4	6	100.00	12.00	317	
319	Wilming ton (10)	Wilming ton	New Hanover	10	8	7	0	1	0	0	0	0	3	7	436	434	2	0	1	75.00	6.00	319
320	Selma (15)	Selma	Johnston	2	2	2	5	0	1	0	0	0	1	11	113	113	0	0	0	35.00	7.00	320
322	Granite (47)	Mount Airy	Surry	6	6	5	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	8	269	266	3	0	0	60.00	12.50	322
328	Mattamuskeet (3)	Engelhard	Hyde	5	4	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	80	83	0	3	2	37.50	10.00	328	
331	Bayboro (7)	Bayboro	Pamlico	3	2	5	0	2	0	0	2	2	2	120	121	0	1	2	45.00	20.00	331	
339	Fairview (43)	Kings Mountain	Cleveland	12	11	11	0	0	0	0	2	2	8	198	197	1	0	4	50.00	10.00	339	
340	Harmony (16)	Pikeville	Wayne	3	2	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	95	94	1	0	0	30.00	12.50	340	
343	Hickory (44)	Hickory	Catawba	8	8	7	6	2	0	0	3	2	10	481	481	0	0	6	50.00	10.00	343	
344	Numa F. Reid (36)	High Point	Guilford	5	4	4	2	3	0	0	3	2	12	375	387	0	0	1	75.00	15.00	344	
348	Stanly (28)	Albemarle	Stanly	15	11	11	1	1	0	0	0	1	5	381	388	0	7	2	60.00	10.00	348	
352	Durham (31)	Durham	Durham	20	23	19	2	5	0	0	15	2	22	757	744	0	0	0	70.00	10.00	352	
356	Fallston (43)	Fallston	Cleveland	3	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	96	96	13	0	0	60.00	10.00	356	
357	Bakersville (51)	Bakersville	Mitchell	5	3	1	1	0	0	0	2	1	3	160	158	4	0	2	30.00	7.50	357	
358	East LaPorte (57)	East LaPorte	Jackson	1	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	3	114	114	0	0	0	50.00	10.00	358	
359	Mount Vernon (7)	Oriental	Pamlico	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	110	110	0	0	0	30.00	10.00	359		
363	Snow (49)	Boone	Watauga	11	11	12	0	0	0	0	3	2	4	222	225	0	3	2	50.00	8.00	363	
369	Gastonia (42)	Gastonia	Gaston	15	14	14	2	2	0	0	8	5	9	573	569	4	0	0	60.00	10.00	369	
373	Ashler (49)	Deep Gap	Watauga	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	68	64	4	0	1	50.00	10.00	373	
374	Campbell (45)	Troutman	Iredell	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	60	59	1	0	1	50.00	10.00	374	
375	State Line (43)	Grover	Cleveland	1	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	65	65	0	0	0	50.00	10.00	375	
377	Youngsville (21)	Youngsville	Franklin	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	45	45	0	0	0	35.00	7.50	377	
378	Seaboard (19)	Seaboard	Northampton	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	49	45	4	0	0	30.00	7.50	378	
379	Coharie (14)	Salemburg	Sampson	4	7	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	71	77	0	6	0	35.00	10.00	379	
380	Granville (22)	Wake Forest, Rt. 3	Granville	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	25	24	1	0	0	40.00	5.00	380		
381	Forest City (52)	Forest City	Rutherford	5	4	2	2	1	0	0	4	2	4	140	135	5	0	0	50.00	10.00	381	
384	Jefferson Penn (33)	Reidsville	Rockingham	5	3	3	2	0	0	0	1	1	5	316	314	2	0	0	100.00	12.00	384	
386	Pigeon River (56)	Canton	Haywood	6	9	13	1	0	0	0	2	1	7	259	263	0	4	2	50.00	8.00	386	
387	Kedron (55)	Hendersonville	Henderson	10	16	13	5	0	0	0	4	1	7	336	342	0	6	4	85.00	15.00	387	
388	Mooresboro (43)	Mooresboro	Cleveland	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	89	88	1	0	1	35.00	8.00	388	

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390 Copeland (47)-----	Copeland §-----	Surry	3	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	94	94	0	0	0	30.00	20.00	390
391 Lebanon (13)-----	Hope Mills-----	Cumberland	7	9	9	0	14	0	0	0	17	1	140	145	0	0	0	50.00	10.00	391
393 Tally Ho (32)-----	Stem-----	Granville	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	30	31	0	1	1	30.00	10.00	393
395 Orient (10)-----	Wilmington-----	New Hanover	5	5	5	3	1	0	0	0	3	3	275	276	0	0	0	75.00	10.00	395
397 Bald Creek (53)-----	Swiss-----	Yancey	5	7	4	0	5	0	0	0	0	1	146	150	0	4	4	35.00	6.00	397
401 Joppa (52)-----	Old Fort-----	McDowell	2	3	3	1	2	0	0	0	5	2	113	112	1	0	0	50.00	6.00	401
403 Siler City (25)-----	Siler City-----	Chatham	9	7	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	164	169	0	5	5	50.00	15.00	403
404 Denton (36)-----	Denton-----	Davidson	2	4	3	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	86	89	0	3	1	35.00	12.00	404
405 Ocean (50)-----	Morehead City-----	Carteret	13	10	11	3	2	0	0	0	0	3	270	283	0	13	6	50.00	10.00	405
407 North Wilkesboro (48)	North Wilkesboro-----	Wilkes	3	4	1	0	2	0	0	0	2	2	127	124	3	0	0	40.00	12.00	407
408 University (31)-----	Chapel Hill-----	Orange	6	7	7	4	0	0	0	0	3	3	160	163	0	3	0	60.00	15.00	408
409 Bula (30)-----	Burlington-----	Alamance	8	8	6	0	0	0	0	0	1	9	362	358	4	0	3	75.00	20.00	409
411 Bailey (17)-----	Bailey-----	Nash	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	3	79	75	4	0	0	30.00	10.00	411
412 Henry F. Grainger (32)	Oxford, Rt. 5-----	Granville	4	5	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	36	41	0	5	0	40.00	5.00	412
413 Louisburg (21)-----	Louisburg-----	Franklin	5	4	5	3	4	0	0	0	1	3	169	172	0	3	1	35.00	12.00	413
417 Maxton (12)-----	Maxton-----	Robeson	3	5	4	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	57	58	0	1	1	50.00	20.00	417
418 Potecasi (19)-----	Potecasi-----	Northampton	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	2	120	118	2	0	0	40.00	7.50	418
420 Harmon (46)-----	Yadkinville, Rt. 3-----	Yadkin	8	7	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	55	62	0	7	0	30.00	10.00	420
423 Sparta (49)-----	Sparta-----	Alleghany	6	7	5	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	127	129	0	2	0	35.00	12.00	423
426 Montgomery (58)-----	Ranger-----	Cherokee	4	4	4	0	1	0	0	0	1	6	206	204	2	0	0	40.00	7.00	426
427 Oconee (57)-----	Bryson City-----	Swain	4	3	3	0	1	0	0	0	4	0	147	146	1	0	1	50.00	10.00	427
428 Stokesdale (34)-----	Stokesdale-----	Guilford	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	122	121	1	0	0	45.00	10.00	428
429 Sea Side (8)-----	Swansboro-----	Onslow	10	9	10	3	4	0	0	0	5	1	163	172	0	9	5	50.00	10.00	429
431 Relief (15)-----	Benson-----	Johnston	2	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	102	102	0	0	0	50.00	7.00	431
432 Piney Creek (49)-----	Piney Creek-----	Alleghany	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	54	53	1	0	0	30.00	5.00	432
433 Vanceboro (7)-----	Vanceboro-----	Craven	4	3	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	91	89	2	0	0	40.00	10.00	433
434 West Bend (46)-----	Lewisville-----	Forsyth	5	6	5	2	0	0	0	0	2	4	114	115	0	0	0	50.00	10.00	434
435 Blue Ridge (57)-----	Highlands-----	Macon	2	2	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	64	66	0	2	0	50.00	8.00	435
437 Biscoe (28)-----	Biscoe-----	Montgomery	3	2	1	0	2	0	0	0	5	1	168	163	5	0	0	50.00	10.00	437
439 Marble Springs (58)-----	Marble-----	Cherokee	5	3	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	54	58	0	4	0	40.00	7.50	439
444 Marietta (29)-----	Ramseur-----	Randolph	3	3	2	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	87	86	1	0	0	35.00	5.00	444
446 Biltmore (54)-----	Asheville-----	Buncombe	6	5	6	4	2	0	0	0	1	2	353	358	0	5	2	60.00	12.50	446
447 Enfield (20)-----	Enfield-----	Halifax	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	2	142	139	3	0	0	40.00	10.00	447
453 Clyde (56)-----	Clyde-----	Haywood	3	2	2	0	3	0	0	0	2	1	108	110	0	2	1	45.00	7.50	453

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454	Elkin (47)	Elkin	Surry	10	9	8	1	9	0	0	0	1	3	3	191	193	0	2	0	50.00	15.00	454	
459	Dillsboro (57)	Sylva	Jackson	5	5	5	0	3	0	0	0	2	3	4	182	181	1	0	1	40.00	15.00	459	
460	Cliffside (52)	Cliffside	Rutherford	5	5	7	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	146	153	0	7	0	50.00	8.00	460	
461	Matthews (39)	Matthews	Mecklenburg	30	28	25	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	244	266	0	0	22	1	75.00	8.00	461
462	South Fork (41)	Cramerton	Gaston	2	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	161	162	0	1	2	50.00	6.00	462	
463	Currituck (1)	Coinjock	Currituck	2	1	1	4	2	2	0	0	3	0	3	148	150	0	2	0	75.00	10.00	463	
471	Grassy Knob (45)	Union Grove	Iredell	2	2	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	67	68	0	1	0	30.00	10.00	471	
472	Sonoma (56)	Canton, Rt. 2	Haywood	2	2	1	1	1	1	0	0	4	0	4	119	114	5	0	0	45.00	8.00	472	
473	Lexington (36)	Lexington	Davidson	8	8	9	10	1	1	0	0	2	4	8	294	292	2	0	2	50.00	15.00	473	
474	St. Pauls (12)	St. Pauls	Robeson	0	0	2	2	0	2	0	0	5	0	1	79	77	2	0	0	40.00	10.00	474	
475	Grimesland (5)	Grimesland	Pitt	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	63	61	2	0	0	50.00	10.00	475	
479	Rainbow (7)	Arapahoe	Pamlico	5	5	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	84	88	0	4	2	50.00	10.00	479	
482	Saluda (55)	Saluda	Polk	5	5	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	82	81	1	0	0	45.00	10.00	482	
483	Traphill (48)	Traphill	Wilkes	3	3	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	51	51	0	0	0	35.00	10.00	483	
484	Southern Pines (26)	Southern Pines	Moore	7	9	8	10	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	242	260	0	18	2	30.00	6.00	484	
486	Lawndale (43)	Lawndale	Cleveland	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	81	80	1	0	0	35.00	7.50	486	
488	Rich Square (19)	Rich Square	Northampton	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	58	58	0	0	0	40.00	5.00	488	
489	Linville (51)	Newland	Avery	17	17	13	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	2	131	142	0	11	1	35.00	10.00	489	
491	Hominy (54)	Candler	Buncombe	6	5	5	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	3	176	178	0	2	0	60.00	7.50	491	
492	Thomas M. Holt (30)	Graham	Alamance	3	5	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	145	147	0	2	0	75.00	20.00	492	
493	Pilot (47)	Pilot Mountain	Surry	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	77	76	1	0	0	50.00	10.00	493	
495	Rockingham (26)	Rockingham	Richmond	12	12	12	6	3	3	0	0	8	3	4	241	247	0	6	4	60.00	15.00	495	
496	Mooresville (45)	Mooresville	Iredell	8	6	6	0	0	0	0	0	5	2	1	187	185	2	0	1	50.00	20.00	496	
497	Royal Hart (20)	Littleton	Warren	0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	3	89	87	2	0	0	35.00	7.50	497	
498	Ayden (5)	Ayden	Pitt	3	3	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	126	126	0	0	0	30.00	18.00	498	
499	Creedmoor (32)	Creedmoor	Granville	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	48	48	0	0	0	35.00	7.50	499	
500	Raleigh (23)	Raleigh	Wake	4	3	3	0	1	0	0	0	4	0	7	201	194	7	0	0	75.00	15.00	500	
501	Red Springs (12)	Red Springs	Robeson	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	7	2	2	132	122	10	0	0	50.00	15.00	501	
502	Cookville (44)	Near Henry	Catawba	3	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	90	90	0	0	0	35.00	12.50	502	
505	Cherryville (42)	Cherryville	Gaston	7	6	5	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	3	215	215	0	0	2	65.00	10.00	505	
509	Belhaven (4)	Belhaven	Beaufort	6	10	8	0	0	0	0	2	0	5	138	139	0	1	0	50.00	15.00	509		
515	Whetstone (42)	Bessemer City	Gaston	5	6	5	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	110	113	0	3	1	50.00	7.50	515	
516	Aulander (2)	Aulander	Bertie	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	54	53	1	0	1	30.00	10.00	516	
517	Farmville (5)	Farmville	Pitt	5	4	4	1	0	0	0	1	0	2	127	129	0	2	1	50.00	12.50	517		
519	Widow's Son (20)	Roanoke Rapids	Halifax	3	3	2	0	2	0	0	0	4	0	2	194	192	2	0	2	75.00	15.00	519	
520	Fairfield (4)	Fairfield	Hyde	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	52	51	1	0	0	50.00	10.00	520	
521	Manteo (3)	Manteo	Dare	5	5	3	1	3	0	0	0	0	4	5	325	323	2	0	2	75.00	20.00	521	
524	Pendleton (19)	Pendleton	Northampton	2	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	114	114	0	0	0	35.00	8.00	524	
525	Rodgers (17)	Middlesex	Nash	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	59	59	0	0	0	40.00	7.50	525	
527	Lucama (17)	Lucama	Wilson	3	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	86	88	0	2	0	35.00	10.00	527	
528	Fairmont (12)	Fairmont	Robeson	9	11	11	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	150	159	0	9	1	50.00	10.00	528	
529	Andrews (58)	Andrews	Cherokee	3	2	3	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	4	123	122	1	0	1	50.00	20.00	529	
530	Joppa (40)	Charlotte	Mecklenburg	21	21	17	5	1	0	0	0	2	4	21	972	988	4	0	4	75.00	10.00	530	
532	Hamlet (26)	Hamlet	Richmond	4	5	5	1	5	0	0	0	9	0	3	205	204	1	0	2	75.00	15.00	532	
534	Camp Call (43)	Shelby, Rt. 5	Cleveland	2	2	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	121	123	0	2	1	35.00	10.00	534	
535	Hollis (52)	Hollis	Rutherford	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	88	89	0	1	0	30.00	5.00	535	
538	Williams (39)	Cornelius	Mecklenburg	2	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	83	85	0	2	0	35.00	10.00	538	

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542 Corinthian (34)	Greensboro	Gulford	8	6	6	2	1	0	0	1	2	14	497	489	8	0	0	75.00	8.00	542
543 Spencer (37)	Spencer	Rowan	5	5	6	7	0	0	0	0	0	2	253	256	3	3	0	75.00	8.00	543
544 Mount Holly (41)	Mount Holly	Gaston	5	4	4	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	202	206	4	4	0	50.00	15.00	544
550 Roman Eagle (26)	Aberdeen	Moore	6	4	4	3	1	0	0	0	0	1	108	110	2	2	0	50.00	10.00	550
551 Glenville (57)	Glenville	Jackson	0	0	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	53	55	2	2	0	35.00	10.00	551
552 Revolution (34)	Greensboro	Gulford	24	21	21	3	4	0	0	4	1	4	633	652	19	1	0	75.00	8.00	552
554 Vesper (51)	Spruce Pine	Mitchell	7	9	5	1	0	0	0	6	2	1	186	188	2	2	0	50.00	10.00	554
555 Elise (25)	Robbins	Moore	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	138	138	0	0	0	60.00	8.50	555
556 Neill S. Stewart (13)	Erwin	Harnett	2	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	171	170	1	1	0	50.00	10.00	556
558 Ararat (47)	Ararat	Surry	4	4	4	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	35	38	3	3	0	50.00	10.00	558
561 Swannanoa (54)	Swannanoa	Buncombe	6	6	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	150	150	0	0	0	50.00	10.00	561
562 Waxhaw (27)	Waxhaw	Union	1	2	2	0	2	0	0	2	0	1	88	89	1	0	0	30.00	5.00	562
563 Tabor (11)	Tabor City	Columbus	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	9	3	3	140	130	10	0	0	60.00	25.00	563
564 Richlands (8)	Richlands	Onslow	5	4	4	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	78	79	1	0	0	50.00	10.00	564
565 Wendell (22)	Wendell	Wake	3	3	4	0	0	0	0	2	0	5	88	85	3	0	0	50.00	12.50	565
568 Doric (7)	New Bern	Craven	7	6	9	1	5	0	0	8	1	10	527	523	4	4	0	50.00	10.00	568
569 Mount Pleasant (17)	Bailey, Rt. 1	Nash	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	37	37	0	0	0	30.00	7.50	569
571 Snow Creek (45)	Statesville, Rt. 5	Iredell	5	6	6	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	60	64	4	4	0	30.00	10.00	571
573 Mount Pleasant (48)	Champion	Wilkes	8	8	8	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	115	122	7	7	0	30.00	7.50	573
576 Andrew Jackson (37)	Salisbury	Rowan	9	6	4	3	0	0	0	0	2	4	300	301	1	0	0	75.00	15.00	576
578 Meadow Branch (27)	Wingate	Union	2	3	3	0	3	0	0	2	1	2	70	71	1	1	0	30.00	7.00	578
579 Casar (43)	Casar	Cleveland	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	70	68	2	0	0	40.00	10.00	579
583 Ionic (7)	Cove City	Craven	10	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	90	93	3	3	2	35.00	10.00	583
584 Apex (24)	Apex	Wake	3	2	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	3	81	81	0	0	0	40.00	20.00	584
585 Roseboro (14)	Roseboro	Sampson	9	8	8	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	105	114	9	9	0	50.00	8.00	585
589 Bethel (5)	Bethel	Pitt	1	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	55	55	0	0	0	35.00	12.00	589
590 Lowell (41)	Lowell	Gaston	5	5	6	1	0	0	0	0	6	1	255	255	0	0	0	60.00	6.00	590
592 Maiden (44)	Maiden	Catawba	5	5	5	0	0	0	0	1	0	5	143	142	1	0	0	42.50	10.00	592
593 Stony Point (45)	Stony Point	Alexander	5	3	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	91	95	4	4	0	35.00	10.00	593
594 Ashe (49)	West Jefferson	Ashe	1	1	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	2	102	101	1	0	0	50.00	7.00	594
595 Wallace (9)	Wallace	Duplin	7	8	6	2	1	0	0	1	1	1	182	188	6	6	1	50.00	10.00	595
596 Waccamaw (11)	Bolton	Columbus	3	2	2	0	0	0	0	3	1	4	83	76	7	7	0	50.00	12.00	596
598 Cranberry (51)	Elk Park	Avery	3	4	4	2	1	0	0	1	1	5	145	145	0	0	0	35.00	10.00	598
602 Queen City (18)	Rocky Mount	Nash	6	6	4	1	3	0	0	3	3	4	262	260	2	2	0	50.00	9.00	602

605	Jeff L. Nelson (55)	Tryon	Polk	6	8	7	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	81	88	0	7	0	50.00	18.00	605
606	Riverside (44)	Catawba	Catawba	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	120	120	0	0	1	40.00	15.00	606
607	Chadbourn (11)	Chadbourn	Columbus	5	2	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	81	84	0	3	0	50.00	10.00	607
609	Zebulon (22)	Zebulon	Wake	4	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	5	122	117	5	0	0	35.00	15.00	609
612	Atkinson (10)	Atkinson	Pender	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	68	66	2	0	0	25.00	8.00	612
613	Home (16)	Freemont	Wayne	2	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	69	69	0	0	0	30.00	12.50	613
616	Round Peak (47)	Mt. Airy, Rt. 3	Surry	5	5	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	139	140	0	1	0	40.00	15.00	616
617	St. Patrick's (15)	Princeton	Johnston	5	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	68	65	1	0	0	35.00	10.00	617
618	Union (38)	Midland	Cabarrus	8	8	8	1	0	0	0	0	1	2	155	161	0	6	1	50.00	8.00	618
624	John H. Mills (21)	Epsom §	Franklin	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	56	55	1	0	0	35.00	10.00	624
626	Cannon Memorial (38)	Kannapolis	Cabarrus	22	26	25	1	0	0	0	0	1	9	574	590	0	16	5	60.00	10.00	626
627	Belmont (41)	Belmont	Gaston	2	5	5	0	0	0	0	2	1	4	273	271	2	0	0	50.00	12.00	627
629	Walnut Cove (33)	Walnut Cove	Stokes	4	4	4	0	0	0	0	2	1	5	118	114	4	0	0	60.00	10.00	629
630	Francis S. Packard (21)	Norlina	Warren	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	4	82	78	4	0	0	35.00	10.00	630
634	Goldsboro (16)	Goldsboro	Wayne	16	14	15	1	0	1	0	7	5	2	277	278	0	1	3	75.00	15.00	634
637	Yadkin Falls (28)	Badin	Stanly	3	4	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	5	108	105	1	0	1	50.00	12.00	637
643	Proctorville (12)	Proctorville	Robeson	1	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	50	50	0	0	0	50.00	10.00	643
646	Bladen (11)	Elizabethtown	Bladen	4	4	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	130	135	0	5	6	60.00	10.00	646
650	John A. Nichols (54)	Asheville	Buncombe	8	9	8	1	3	0	0	4	1	2	251	256	0	5	0	60.00	10.00	650
654	Elberta (28)	West End	Moore	3	2	2	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	68	69	0	1	0	35.00	8.00	654
656	Gulford (34)	Greensboro	Gulford	2	2	2	1	1	0	0	5	1	6	416	408	8	0	2	75.00	15.00	656
657	Keller Memorial (37)	Rockwell	Rowan	5	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	143	146	0	3	0	35.00	10.00	657
658	Beulaville (9)	Beulaville	Duplin	3	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	109	108	1	0	0	35.00	10.00	658
663	Black Mountain (54)	Black Mountain	Buncombe	3	4	4	5	1	0	0	1	2	3	184	188	0	4	1	50.00	7.50	663
664	Garland (14)	Garland	Sampson	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	63	61	2	0	0	50.00	12.00	664
665	West Asheville (54)	Asheville	Buncombe	7	6	6	2	2	0	0	12	1	9	323	311	12	0	0	60.00	10.00	665
667	Fort Bragg (13)	Fort Bragg	Cumberland	23	23	23	6	7	0	0	12	9	3	500	512	0	12	15	60.00	15.00	667
668	Holland Memorial (42)	Gastonia	Gaston	13	13	13	0	5	0	0	14	3	7	387	381	6	0	2	60.00	10.00	668
669	Kernersville (35)	Kernersville	Forsyth	7	8	9	0	0	0	0	1	1	5	127	129	0	2	0	50.00	10.00	669
670	Lovelady (44)	Valdese	Burke	4	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	155	155	0	0	3	65.00	6.00	670
672	Robbinsville (58)	Robbinsville	Graham	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	3	154	149	5	0	3	50.00	20.00	672
673	Spindale (52)	Spindale	Rutherford	5	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	162	161	1	0	1	50.00	6.00	673
674	Acacia (36)	High Point	Gulford	3	3	3	1	1	0	0	10	1	2	362	354	8	0	0	75.00	15.00	674
675	Washington (4)	Washington	Beaufort	2	2	2	1	1	0	0	2	1	4	185	182	3	0	0	50.00	15.00	675
676	Temple (40)	Charlotte	Mecklenburg	20	19	20	7	7	0	0	11	7	4	614	626	0	12	1	75.00	10.00	676
677	Warsaw (9)	Warsaw	Duplin	1	4	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	93	93	0	0	0	50.00	20.00	677
678	Providence (3)	Columbia	Tyrell	4	4	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	102	104	0	2	1	50.00	10.00	678
679	Creasy Proctor (13)	Fayetteville	Cumberland	20	18	18	10	0	0	0	1	4	3	438	458	0	20	4	75.00	9.00	679
680	Semper Fidelis (8)	Jacksonville	Onslow	26	34	34	5	1	0	0	6	5	2	388	415	0	27	1	50.00	15.00	680
681	Piedmont (36)	High Point	Gulford	3	3	4	1	0	0	0	1	3	0	194	195	0	1	0	75.00	15.00	681
683	Rolesville (22)	Rolesville	Wake	4	3	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	60	61	0	1	0	50.00	25.00	683
684	Ahoskie (2)	Ahoskie	Hertford	2	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	4	145	143	2	0	0	50.00	10.00	684
685	Pioneer (35)	Winston-Salem	Forsyth	4	3	3	3	0	0	0	1	0	5	245	245	0	0	0	75.00	12.00	685
686	Angier (24)	Angier	Harnett	4	6	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	91	93	0	2	0	50.00	15.00	686
687	Fellowship (31)	Durham	Durham	6	7	7	1	1	0	0	0	2	1	190	196	0	6	2	60.00	10.00	687
688	Cherry Point (50)	Havelock	Craven	22	22	18	3	0	0	0	16	2	1	351	353	0	2	3	75.00	12.00	688
689	Scotland Neck (20)	Scotland Neck	Halifax	2	3	3	0	0	0	0	3	0	3	102	99	3	0	0	40.00	10.00	689

1966 ABSTRACT OF RETURNS

LODGES UNDER THE JURISDICTION OF THE GRAND LODGE OF A. F. & A. M. OF NORTH CAROLINA

NO., NAME And DISTRICT	POST OFFICE	COUNTY	Initiated	Passed	Raised	Admitted	Restored	Expelled	Suspended U.M.C.	Excluded N.P.D.	Demitted	Died	Membership Previous Year	Present Membership	Decrease	Increase	Rejected	FEE\$	DUES	NO.
690 Mount Moriah (45)---	Statesville	Iredell	8	6	4	4	0	0	0	0	1	3	153	157	0	4	1	60.00	12.00	690
691 Renfro (47)-----	Mount Airy	Surry	6	7	6	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	151	153	0	2	1	60.00	12.50	691
692 East Gate (40)-----	Charlotte	Mecklenburg	50	43	44	7	2	2	0	0	0	0	398	447	0	49	2	75.00	10.00	692
693 Charles M. Setzer (40)---	Charlotte	Mecklenburg	19	18	17	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	320	330	0	10	1	75.00	10.00	693
694 Gate City (34)-----	Greensboro	Gulford	6	6	4	2	1	1	0	1	1	2	205	207	0	2	2	75.00	10.00	694
695 Allen-Graham (38)---	Kannapolis	Cabarrus	14	16	16	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	203	221	0	18	2	60.00	8.00	695
696 Memorial (36)-----	Lexington	Davidson	5	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	166	164	2	0	0	50.00	15.00	696
697 Butner (32)-----	Butner	Granville	4	4	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	66	70	0	4	0	50.00	10.00	697
698 Cape Hatteras (3)-----	Buxton	Dare	8	6	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	98	97	0	1	0	50.00	15.00	698
699 Asheboro (29)-----	Asheboro	Randolph	7	9	8	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	149	153	0	4	1	50.00	10.00	699
700 Friendship (40)-----	Charlotte	Mecklenburg	23	24	20	1	2	2	2	2	3	2	228	244	0	16	0	75.00	10.00	700
701 Garner (23)-----	Garner	Wake	9	9	9	1	0	0	0	0	1	3	150	153	0	3	0	75.00	15.00	701
702 St. Andrew (40)-----	Charlotte	Mecklenburg	12	10	10	3	1	1	5	4	4	4	213	214	0	1	1	75.00	10.00	702
703 Albemarle (28)-----	Albemarle	Stanly	5	4	2	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	120	119	1	0	1	60.00	10.00	703
704 King Solomon (42)-----	Gastonia	Gaston	8	9	10	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	80	93	0	13	0	60.00	10.00	704
705 Richard Caswell (6)---	Kinston	Lenoir	16	12	8	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	141	151	0	10	1	50.00	20.00	705
706 Newport (50)-----	Newport	Carteret	3	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	3	0	102	102	0	0	0	50.00	8.00	706
707 Forsyth (35)-----	Winston-Salem	Forsyth	4	2	3	1	0	0	0	3	1	2	120	118	2	0	0	75.00	12.50	707
708 Crown Point (5)-----	Greenville	Pitt	4	4	4	2	1	1	2	2	2	3	127	126	1	0	0	50.00	10.00	708
709 Conover (44)-----	Conover	Catawba	3	3	3	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	74	76	0	2	0	50.00	10.00	709
710 Advance (46)-----	Advance	Davie	7	3	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	29	33	0	4	0	30.00	10.00	710
711 Piedmont (35)-----	Winston-Salem	Forsyth	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	2	1	1	106	104	2	0	0	75.00	12.50	711
712 Wilson (17)-----	Wilson	Wilson	12	6	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	84	90	0	6	1	50.00	12.00	712
713 McLurd (41)-----	Stanley	Gaston	4	4	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	73	79	0	6	0	50.00	15.00	713
714 Liberty (29)-----	Liberty	Randolph	5	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	47	51	0	4	1	50.00	15.00	714
715 Derita (39)-----	Derita	Mecklenburg	24	24	24	4	0	0	0	0	0	5	181	204	0	23	3	75.00	10.00	715
716 Hiram (36)-----	High Point	Gulford	0	2	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	75	77	0	2	0	75.00	15.00	716
717 Burnsville (53)-----	Burnsville	Yancey	7	3	3	2	0	0	0	1	1	0	76	79	0	3	0	50.00	10.00	717
718 Troy (28)-----	Troy	Montgomery	4	2	2	0	0	0	0	4	0	3	109	104	5	0	0	50.00	20.00	718
719 Horse Creek (55)-----	Columbus	Polk	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	2	0	48	46	2	0	1	50.00	10.00	719
720 Cabarrus (38)-----	Concord	Cabarrus	14	13	13	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	127	140	0	13	5	50.00	15.00	720
721 Burlington (30)-----	Burlington	Alamance	8	7	7	1	1	0	0	2	0	0	88	95	0	7	0	75.00	20.00	721
722 King (35)-----	King	Stokes	12	13	12	2	0	0	0	1	1	2	68	78	0	10	1	50.00	20.00	722
723 Winton (2)-----	Winton	Hertford	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	39	39	0	0	0	30.00	10.00	723

724	Berne (7)	New Bern	Craven	12	13	13	1	0	0	0	1	0	2	97	108	0	11	3	50.00	10.00	724
725	Grantham (7)	Granthams, No. 7 Township, New Bern	Craven	11	7	6	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	83	89	0	6	0	50.00	10.00	725
726	Keystone (40)	Charlotte	Mecklenburg	6	7	7	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	80	91	0	11	0	75.00	10.00	726
727	Shallotte (11)	Shallotte	Brunswick	8	8	7	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	64	71	0	7	10	75.00	10.00	727
728	Meridian (40)	Charlotte	Mecklenburg	8	9	9	5	0	0	0	0	2	2	79	89	0	10	1	75.00	10.00	728
729	Twin County (18)	Rocky Mount	Nash	12	17	15	6	0	0	0	0	1	1	63	82	0	19	4	50.00	9.00	729
730	Stedman (13)	Stedman	Cumberland	7	6	6	1	0	0	0	1	1	1	46	50	0	4	0	50.00	15.00	730
731	John Huske Anderson (13)	Fayetteville	Cumberland	8	7	6	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	88	96	0	8	0	75.00	10.00	731
732	Bush Hill (29)	Archdale	Randolph	10	8	10	2	0	0	0	0	0	3	77	86	0	9	0	50.00	12.00	732
733	Stump Sound (8)	Sneads Ferry	Onslow	7	6	6	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	39	46	0	7	0	50.00	15.00	733
734	William Pitt (5)	Greenville	Pitt	4	6	6	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	33	38	0	5	1	50.00	10.00	734
735	J. B. Green (23)	Millbrook	Wake	12	14	18	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	37	56	0	19	2	75.00	15.00	735
736	New River (8)	Jacksonville	Onslow	13	12	12	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	38	54	0	16	0	50.00	15.00	736
737	Steele Creek (39)	Charlotte R4	Mecklenburg	25	21	19	10	0	0	0	0	1	0	60	88	0	28	3	75.00	10.00	737
				2277	2207	2119	414	267	6	1	623	402	1173	65368	65963	466	1061	387			

* The 20 initiated in Temple Lodge No. 676 includes DAN MARIANO DePAOLI who was initiated Oct. 2, 1959 in Tampa, Florida. Waiver of Jurisdiction over this Entered Apprentice (Equivalent to Demit to an E. A.) issued by Florida to allow him to petition no. 676 for remaining degrees.

** The 19 initiated in Charles M. Setzer Lodge No. 693 includes JOHN EUGENE ZIMMERMAN who was initiated on Feb. 4, 1964 in Roy Stanley Lodge No. 1387, Texas. Certificate of Dismissal over this Entered Apprentice (Equivalent to Demit to an E. A.) issued by Texas to allow him to petition no. 693 for remaining degrees.

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NEXT ANNUAL COMMUNICATION

The One Hundred Eighty-First Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina will be held in the City of New Bern on the third Tuesday in April at 3:00 P.M., it being April 16, 1968.